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## HEIRS WILL SUE TO REGAIN A \$5,000,000 ESTATE

LEGACY LEFT  
TO HEIRS, 49  
YEARS AGO

Lumber, Oil, Gas And Coal  
On Property; Value 5  
To 10 Millions

CHARLESTON, W. Va., June 15.—Claimants or heirs will institute proceedings, in the local courts in the near future to regain an estate of around 1279 acres of valuable land, left by Israel Rue, who died around 1879. The property is reported to be worth between \$5,000,000 and \$10,000,000. It is a tract, according to the records, lying on head waters of Rush creek and Davis creek on the mountain, dividing the two streams, in Kanawha county, West Virginia.

The property, it is said, contains several million feet of valuable lumber, beside coal, oil, gas and salt. It is now held and operated by the Black Band Coal Co. Israel Rue owned the land, in fee simple during his life time. At his death he left 150 acres in fee simple to his son, Isaac Rue, and the balance to his grandsons, Charles Francisco and John Francisco, each 125 acres for their lives, and at their death to their children and 100 acres to Lewis Cobb, who lived on the property with Rue and now lives in a suburb of this city.

The rest of the estate was bequeathed to Mary Taylor, his daughter, Frances Rue, his wife, John Rue, a son and Frances, Margaret and Julia Mosby. The will stipulated each one was to have his share for his life, at his death to go to his children or the survivors.

The present heirs are Lewis Cobb, age 88, who lived on the property with Rue, and who now lives in a suburb of Charleston. John Rue, an heir and a son of Israel Rue, is reported in Canada. John Mosby lives near Charleston; Maggie Mosby, Mrs. Elizabeth Robinson of Ohio and Mrs. Theresa Taylor and Mrs. America Thomas, both of Indianapolis, Ind.

The heirs are represented by attorney Clayton E. Kimbrough of this city, who has won quite a reputation as an abstract attorney and Attorney Joseph K. Brown of Indianapolis, Ind., a very able attorney.

## MISS. DELEGATION WILL FOLLOW BAND WAGON

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 15.—Perry W. Howard of Jackson, Miss., National Republican committeeman, who was re-elected, said early this week that Mississippi's delegation at the Republican convention will support enthusiastically whatever platform is adopted by the convention. He refused to talk on any of the issues which form the main topics of conversation next to presidential possibilities.

The Mississippi delegates have so far announced no stand on any of the issues and embody their views in the declaration of their leader, Howard, that "they would support the platform as adopted."

The women of the delegation, including Mrs. Aline G. Pettis, of Okolona; Mrs. E. E. Hale of Natchez; Mary C. Booz of Mound

Bayou, re-elected national committeewoman, and Mrs. Charles M. Hays of Hattiesburg, are active in campaigning for the cause of the secretary of commerce and the entire delegation is working quietly among undecided delegates from other states in an effort to enlist them in the fight for his nomination.

Monroe Work Publishes Bibliography Of Negro In Africa And America

NEW YORK, June 15.—(N. A. A. C. P. Service)—Monroe N. Work, director of records and research at Tuskegee institute, has completed a bibliography of the Negro in Africa and America which is to be published in the coming month by H. W. Wilson Co. of this city.

In the introduction to the Bibliography, Anson Phelps Stokes, a director of Tuskegee, states that it is an effort to furnish "an accurate and comprehensive handbook of the titles and authors of valuable books, pamphlets and articles from periodicals on the Negro in Africa and America." It contains 17,000 entries covering publications in this field before 1928.

Mr. Work has been engaged on this task for twenty-five years and has been in contact with librarians and authorities in all parts of the world.

## Porters' Strike Is Postponed Indefinitely

### Alleged N.Y. Burglar Lives In Luxury

Graduate



MISS CHARLESINE WOOD  
RECEIVES DEGREE

Miss Charlesine Wood, daughter of Bishop and Mrs. J. W. Wood, recently received a degree of Bachelor of Science from the Home Economics department of Bradley Polytechnic Institute.

Wilberforce University Commencement, June 17-21

WILBERFORCE, O., June 15.—The Wilberforce university commencement program begins Sunday, June 17, and ends Thursday, June 21. On Sunday, bishop A. J. Carey of Chicago, will deliver the baccalaureate sermon and Rev. Solomon P. Hood of Philadelphia, will address the religious and Greek Letter bodies.

On Tuesday the Trustee board will hold its annual meeting. A Spring pageant will be held in the evening, and the annual speaking contest. Exhibits and demonstrations of the various departments will be held on Wednesday.

The annual Alumni business meeting will be held on Wednesday evening. On Thursday the annual commencement address will be delivered by Dr. Leo M. Favrot, field agent of the General Education board.

## 1928 SPINGARN MEDAL TO BE GIVEN TO NOVELIST, CHARLES W. CHESNUTT

NEW YORK, June 15.—The fourteenth Medal this year, is made to Charles Waddell Chesnutt, of Cleveland, novelist, a short story writer, and public spirited citizen, according to announcement today by the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, 69 Fifth avenue.

The medal which goes each year to the man or woman of African descent and United States citizenship for the most distinguished achievement in some field of honorable endeavor, is given to Mr. Chesnutt for his "pioneer work as a literary artist depicting the life and struggle of Americans of Negro descent, and for long and useful career as scholar, worker and freeman of one of America's greatest cities." The medal is to be presented in Los Angeles on July 3, by Lieutenant-Governor Burton L. Fitts of California, at the 19th annual conference of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People.

Mr. Chesnutt was born in Cleveland, June 20, 1858, and moved in early youth with his family to North Carolina, where, at the age of 16 he began teaching in the public schools. At 23 years of age he was principal of the State Normal school at Fayetteville. He came to New York City in 1883 to do newspaper work and then went to Cleveland where he obtained employment as a stenographer, being admitted to the bar in 1887.

In that year he began in the Atlantic Monthly a series of stories later collected in a book entitled

"The Conjure Woman." Mr. Chesnutt published two books in 1899, "The Wife of His Youth" and "The Wife of the Color Line," and a "Life of Frederick Douglass." They were followed in 1900 by "The House Behind the Cedars," in 1901 by "The Marrow of Tradition," and in 1905 by "The Colonel's Dream."

Mr. Chesnutt is one of the first writers to have carefully studied the dialect and the ways of Southern Negroes, as well as of white people in their relation to Negroes, and to give literary form to these studies, in his stories and novels, a new novel by Mr. Chesnutt is in preparation.

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Police arrested Alexander after complaint by W. E. Ham, grocer, who declared on the witness stand that Alexander said he would bring him a half gallon of whisky in return for a favor granted in the form of a loan of \$4 to have his automobile repaired. Ham said he declined this, but told Alexander he could bring him a quart of H. The Negro did not return and there was no whisky.

Mr. Ham said, Alexander said that he did not borrow the money to have his car repaired but said he offered to bring Mr. Ham some whisky.

Judge A. M. Nichols fined Alexander and sentenced him to jail.

TRY A WANT AD IN THE RECORDER

5 Hoover Delegates Lost; Finally Make Appearance

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 15.—Clark Greer of Georgia, a Hoover camp man, lost and found five Georgia delegates early this week. Greer, a well known Republican of Georgia, has been a kind of guardian and sponsor of Negro delegates to national conventions.

Eleven of the sixteen delegates from his state are Negroes. Six of these came here with him, and five others were to arrive later and report to him, but they did not appear. An alarm was given, advertising the loss of five Negro delegates, pledged to Hoover.

## HAS BIG CAR, MAINTAINS A FINE HOME

Charged With Burglary Of Forty Homes Of Rich New Yorkers

NEW YORK, June 15.—Haywood Edwards, a West Indian living at 107-51 166th street, Jamaica, Long Island, was arrested last week and is being held by the police charged with posing as a widow cleaner to perpetrate no less than forty burglaries. Edwards was apprehended in the home of Col. H. H. Rogers on E. Sixty-fourth St.

After being arrested on a charge of unlawful entry, Edwards was identified, the police said, as the man who entered the residence of Mrs. E. H. Harriman, 1 East Sixty-Ninth St., last Tuesday and the home of Mrs. Louis F. Strauss, E. Eighty-third St., last Wednesday afternoon. In both instances Edwards is said to have escaped in his new Cadillac automobile.

Sought Job Washing Windows William Jamieson Mackay, valued to H. H. Rogers, Jr., discovered Edwards concealed in the clothes-dresser, and moved cautiously over to the dresser and withdrew an empty revolver and covered the man. Upon demanding the reason for his presence, Edwards said to have replied: "I'm looking for a job washing windows." This was also the excuse he gave for entering the other two homes, the police said.

Mackay marched Edwards downstairs to the servants' quarters and called Charles Roth, to his assistance. As Mackay handed the weapon to Roth and released his hold on Edwards for a second, Edwards broke for freedom. The chase led through the living room and out into the courtyard where the two men grappled with Edwards, who is said to have fought them off by punching, kicking and biting. Mackay said that Edwards almost chewed off one of his fingers.

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## LYNCHED MAN'S BODY FOUND IN MO. RIVER

SLATER, Mo., June 15.—The body of Ocie Williams, who was taken from Saline county officers two weeks ago, just south of here, was found Monday in the Missouri river.

Findings of the body removed any doubts which may have existed about Williams being lynched by a band of twelve masked Negroes.

The lynching was a known fact in this vicinity, but everyone denied it or professed ignorance with his tongue in his cheek.

Williams had been arrested and charged with the murder of Romeo Logan. The killing occurred after a gambling argument Logan was said to have been highly respected in this community. Williams was a comparative stranger here.

The lynching while quietly done was cold blooded and heartless as any committed by white men against Negroes. With the handcuffs still on his wrists his legs were wired together and his body thrown in the Missouri river. Burial was in Booneville, Mo.

Other than "surmising" that a group of Logan's friends had lynched Williams, the authorities here have done nothing to apprehend the lynchers.

This is the first time in the history of lynching in the United States where a mob of Negroes has deliberately taken another Negro from officers of the law and lynched him.

R. R. CHURCH IS VICTORIOUS AT G.O.P. MEET

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 15.—(By The Associated Negro Press)—After crushing the lily-whites in local, county and state skirmishes, at home, Robert R. Church, he Tennessee Republican leader, continued the good work here before the National Committee of the G. O. P. and won his seat in the G. O. P. convention by a unanimous vote.

So lightly did Mr. Church consider the case of his opponents he failed to show up at the committee meeting to espouse his cause. After an impassioned appeal by the attorney of Jim Quinn, who was opposed, Mr. Church, the contested seat was awarded to Mr. Church.

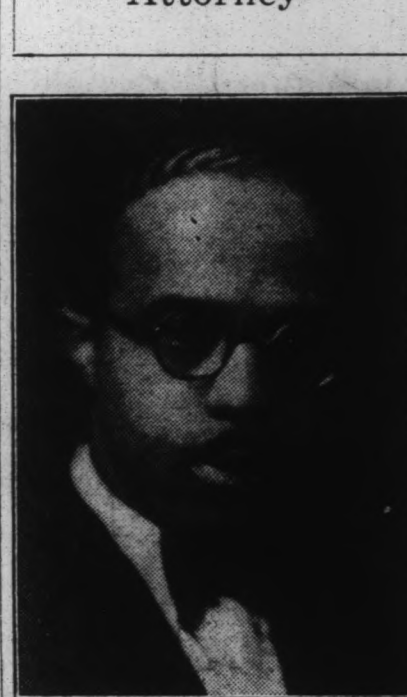
Quinn's attorney, John E. McCall, declared that if Church was seated Tennessee would go Democratic and showed headlines of Memphis daily papers purporting to show that Church had conspired to peddle federal patronage in Tennessee. The members of the committee, however, had evidently anticipated this move and were familiar with the charges and the motives behind them.

The victory gained by Bob Church was predicted sometime ago and his enemies trumped up all sorts of charges against him to discredit him but to no avail. His influence in his home state and throughout the nation is well known and a few hand-picked politicians were not able to destroy it.

Boys, K.K.K. Masks Beat Little Girl

LOS ANGELES, Cal., June 15.—(By The Associated Negro Press)—With her body and face scarred and bruised, little Geraldine Broadway was brought to the City hall from Bell, a suburb, by Mrs. Vivian Jacquet, who told of how the little girl, her ward by adoption, had been set upon by three armed white boys, and cruelly beaten about the face, head and body.

Attorney



HENRY J. RICHARDSON, JR.

Henry J. Richardson, Jr., a local young man graduated from the Indiana Law school in the class of June 6th. Mr. Richardson ranked among the first five in the class of '28. He attended Shortridge High school in the city, and later the school of commerce of University of Illinois.

He has been a salesman of the stock of the Victory Life Insurance Co., since the company opened offices in the city. He has made an enviable record as a salesman of insurance and stock in his connection with the Victory Life Co. He holds the state record insurance written over a period of thirty days.

Mr. Richardson passed the Indiana Bar with a high average and has been admitted to practice before the state and federal courts. He has been active in civic affairs and politics and plans to practice in the state.

Boiled down, the objection to the modern girl is that she is too frank, too nude, too expensive, too carefree—and too gosh-darned attractive!

PLANS O.K. FOR NATIONAL NEGRO DEMOCRAT MEET

CLEVELAND, Ohio, June 15.—(By The Associated Negro Press)—Five thousand delegates are expected to attend the convention of the National Colored Democratic association in Cleveland, July 23, 24 and 25. Under the direction of

N. Y. Man Dressed As A Woman Gets Into Trouble

NEW YORK, N. Y., June 15.—(By The Associated Negro Press)—Clyde de Haven, 22, appeared in the Heights court Monday morning, wearing a woman's scarf, silk dress, woman's shoes, fur scarf, tan high-heeled moccasins, and his hair cut with a delectable girlish bob. He showed the effects of having received a beating. A charge of soliciting was placed against De Haven, police having arrested him in front of 725 Riverside drive.

When the police arrived on the scene, De Haven was lying on the ground almost unconscious. Thinking the man a woman, questions were asked of a group gathered. It developed that De Haven had solicited a man named Harry Strauss, a resident of the house in front of which De Haven was found. De Haven is alleged to have refused to return.

Harry Strauss had given him, at Skin School the entire population, a beating in the eye.

## RANDOLPH TO CONFER WITH A.F.L. LEADERS

Strike Machinery Will Be Maintained, Ready For Action

NEW YORK, June 15.—The Pullman porters' strike has been indefinitely postponed, William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor, suggested this action to the Brotherhood of Sleeping Car Porters just twenty-four hours after stating to Philip Randolph, general organizer, that the American Federation of Labor would support the strike, which was scheduled for Friday noon. The Brotherhood is affiliated with the Federation.

On Wednesday evening, a mass meeting at St. Luke's 125 West 130th St., it was announced that the strike machinery of the Brotherhood throughout the country is well oiled and ready to strike the blow that will "round the world." Mr. Randolph stated that 6,013 members voted to strike with only 50 dissenting. All the dangers, probable consequences, serious import, well as the rewards of the strike were put before the members in a solemn, earnest and glowing terms.

Mr. Green wired the Brotherhood that a strike on Friday would play into the hands of the Pullman Company, and that economic conditions are also unfavorable to the success of the strike.

Meditation Board Dissents Wednesday night the United States Meditation Board informed the Brotherhood by telegram that in its judgment an emergency provided for in the Railway Labor Act does not exist at this time. Therefore, President Coolidge is not asked to appoint an Emergency board to compel the Pullman Company to negotiate.

Headquarters of the convicts will be at the Zion Hill Baptist church, Rev. C. C. Ailer, pastor, where the business sessions will be held in the mornings and afternoons. The evenings will be given over to pleasure. On Monday evening, a public reception will be held. Tuesday evening there will be a delightful moonlight boat ride down Lake Erie, and on Wednesday, an elaborate ball will be held at Cleveland's most splendid and up-to-date dancehall, "Dandelion," at 90th Street and Erie Ave.

Due to the persistent effort of Councilman Gregg, permission has been granted for a street car every evening of the convention. Central avenues, which block the way to the convention, will be roped off for the occasion.

There is a growing interest in the work of the Negro Democratic club of Cleveland. Recently, a woman's auxiliary, under the leadership of Mrs. Alice Hendrickson, was organized with more than 100 members.

According to Attorney Brown, there are around eight hundred Negro Democrats in Cleveland.



## URBAN LEAGUE OFFICIAL TO ATTEND INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES IN EUROPE

NEW YORK, June 15.—Eugene Kinckle Jones, executive secretary of the National Urban League, is sailing for Europe on Saturday, June 16th, for the purpose of attending two international conferences—one in Cambridge, England, June 27th to July 3rd, and the other in Paris, July 9 to 14. The conference in Cambridge is the International Association for the Study and Improvement of Human Relations and Conditions in Industry. The one in Paris is the International conference of Social Work, a part of the Social Work fortnight at which delegates will be present from all over the world. Mr. Jones was one of ten distinguished social workers selected by the Executive board of the National conference of Social Work to represent America at this conference. He goes on the ROCHAMBEAU and will return about August 15 on the ILE DE FRANCE. He is to be accompanied by his wife, Mrs. Blanche R. Jones, and his mother, Mrs. Rosa Kinckle Jones, who has just retired as Teacher Emeritus of Music after forty years of service at Hartshorn college, Richmond, Va.

In Mr. Jones' absence his responsibilities will be assumed by T. Arnold Hill, director of the Department of Industrial Relations of the National Urban League, and Mrs. Phillis W. Joyce, who for ten years has been secretary to Mr. Jones and has had charge of the office management.

In addition to France and England, Mr. Jones will visit Spain, Italy, Switzerland, Germany, Holland, Belgium and possibly North Africa.

### PORO ENTERTAINMENT A SUCCESS

"Poro college," in moving pictures and the "Poro college girls," orchestra at St. Louis, was presented at Caleb Mills hall, Tuesday evening, under the auspices of several of the Churches of the city. The program which was highly entertaining, was witnessed by over 1,500 persons. Mrs. Jessie Alexander, was General chairman.

Mr. Geo. Oscar Barnes and Miss Lereese L. Offutt, were quietly married Saturday June 9th, at the home of Rev. B. F. Westbrook.

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## Local Branch Of N. A. A. C. P. To Stage A Mass Meeting

The local branch of the N. A. A. C. P., will hold a public meeting in the auditorium of the Y. M. C. A. (Colored Men's branch) on Sunday June 17th, at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon. (Daylight Saving Time.)

This is one of the many meetings staged by the branch in its "Trip to California" campaign.

The branch will have as its guests on next Sunday afternoon, some of the Gary High school girls who precipitated the recent Emerson strike and who have figured in law suits subsequently filed and growing out of same. Some of these are fluent public speakers and fully capable of giving first hand information about some of the struggles and disappointments of colored children in their effort to obtain an education. Too, they will be able to tell what the N. A. A. C. P. has meant to them. The president of the Gary branch, Mr. Russell and the wife of Atty. Bacony, who promoted benefit entertainments for them, will also be present.

One of these girls who was an honor student a year ago and won out-American Legion medal as an outstanding student, will tell of her being deprived of the chance of an average student and of being compelled to take a year in which to do a semester's work because of frequent transfers.

The meeting bids fair to become a very interesting one and a full house is expected.

The musical program is under the auspices of the Educational committee, of which Prof. William E. Grubbs is chairman.

R. L. Bailey, is the new president of the Indianapolis local and extends a cordial invitation to all locals throughout the state to be present.

### Prominent Evansville Attorney Given A Medal By Fellow Citizens

Evansville, Ind., June 15, 1928. Attorney, Ernest G. Tidrington, was presented a Gold Medal by the Colored Citizens here, in honor of his selection as an Alternate Delegate at Large, to the National Republican Convention. It is the 1st time in the history of Southern Indiana, that such honor has been conferred upon a member of our group.

Mr. Tidrington has been for many years a recognized power in Republican politics in the state of Indiana, and is characterized as one of the best organizers in the country.

The medal bears this inscription, "Hon. E. G. Tidrington," for services to the Republican party, presented by the Negroes of Evansville, Ind.

### Heirs Will Sue To Regain \$5,000,000

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torney, who enjoys a practice in civil procedure. According to information coming from Attorneys Kimbrough and Brown the case will be carried to the U. S. Supreme court, if necessary to win for their clients. The Black Band Coal Co., holding the property at the present time, claims adverse title to the legal heirs. But the attorneys for the heirs assert they have an overwhelming list of points on which to win the suit.

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## Strike Postponed Indefinitely

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man Company to meet and recognize the Brotherhood. The Board, however, gave no specific reason for its action.

The general organizer pointed out that the Board recommended that President Coolidge establish an emergency board in the case of a strike by only 600 employees on the Kansas City, Mexico and Orient railroads, while they now fail to see an emergency in a strike of 6,000 employees of the Pullman Company thus showing discrimination.

The present wage of the porter is \$72.50 a month with a 11,000 mileage basis of work or nearly 400 hours work-month. The Brotherhood demands \$150 a month and a 240-hour month or 8 hour day. Porters' tips average \$38 a month, out of which they must pay \$33 as occupational expenses for shoe polish, food in transit and at terminals and two uniforms a year.

### A New Strategy

At the second mass meeting at St. Luke's Hall, Friday night, Mr. Randolph outlined to the porters in detail the reasons for following the advice of Mr. Green. The porters' strike committee, which consists of Mr. Randolph and M. P. Webster, Chicago division organizer, announced that their strike machinery will be kept intact and perfected throughout the next thirty days.

Mr. Randolph left for Washington yesterday morning to confer with Mr. Green, and will return and report the result of his conference at another Brotherhood mass meeting at St. Luke's Hall tomorrow evening.

Postponement of the strike, said Mr. Randolph, has strengthened the Brotherhood's position as never before; has revealed the weakness of some of its plans and has entirely exposed the methods whereby the Pullman Company plans to meet the strike.

### Alleged New York Burglar Living In Fine Style

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gers. In the meantime, a maid called an officer who came on the scene and helped subdue Edwards with the assistance of Harry Caslow, a chauffeur, who joined in the fray.

According to the officer, Edwards asked permission to get his automobile, a big gray Cadillac touring car, which was parked on Sixtieth St., between Second and Third avenues. The officer consented and the entire party got in the car and drove to the station house.

**Suspect Lived In Luxury**  
Detectives Moran and Jones then drove the immaculately dressed Edwards out to his Jamaica home, which turned out to be a fine one-family brick and stucco house, very elaborately furnished with

beautiful tapestries and costly furniture.

Edwards owns the house, which stands on a valuable piece of ground, and employs a housekeeper to do the cooking and take care of the place, the detectives reported. The neighbors said they believed the "prosperous-looking gentleman" to be a real estate operator.

### Ft. Harrison Lodge No. 709

At a regular meeting of Ft. Harrison lodge No. 709, I. B. P. O. E. W., on Tuesday evening, June 12, the following officers were elected: Dr. H. W. Armistead, ex-officio; John B. Martin, es. leading knight; Julian Martin, es. Loyal knight; Owen Speed, es. lecturing knight; Robt. Obleton, tyler; Oscar Moore, esquire; Theo. Patterson, inner guard. Delegates to the Grand lodge, Jno. T. Brewington, Dr. H. W. Armistead; delegates to the State Association, Joss Cavanaugh, Dr. F. King.

### Woman's Mite Missionary Society Hold State Meet

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., June 15.—The thirtieth session of the Indiana conference branch of the Woman's Mite Missionary society is being held here this week at Allen chapel A. M. E. church. The sessions began on Thursday and will close on Sunday, June 17.

The officers of the organization are, members of executive board: Mrs. Flossie Bailey, Mrs. Nettie Gibson, Mrs. Annie Carlisle, Mrs. Effie Bass and Mrs. Cora Graham. The chairmen of the departments are: Mrs. Leota Snorden, young people; Mrs. Annetta White, civics; Mrs. Tressa Heinz, Mite boxes; Mrs. Minnie Bailey, art; Mrs. Ethel Henry, mothers; Mrs. Lydia Craven, statistician; Dr. Ida M. Myler, parliamentarian, and Mrs. Mattie Smith, chaplain. Mrs. group of Logan's friends had lunch

Union Tabernacle Baptist  
Cor. North Senate Ave. & St. Clair St., Rev. R. D. Leonard, pastor. Bible school at 9:30 a. m.; sermon at 11 a. m. by pastor, subject, "Suffering Christ." Mar. 15:34. The Lord's supper at 12:30 p. m. Everybody is present at this feast. Sermon at 7:45 p. m. by the pastor, subject, "The Rule of the Road." Num. 14:25. This church is on daylight savings time.

The Garfield Ave. A. M. E. church (white) and its chorus of 60 voices, under the leadership of Wm. C. Hitz, director and organist, will appear at Allen A. M. E. chapel Wednesday, June 20th, at 8:30 P. M., (daylight saving) under the auspices of the men of Allen. The public is invited.

Persian temple No. 46, Nobles of Mysae Shrine will entertain their friends with card party at the Masonic temple, 351 Indiana Ave., Monday evening June 25th. Prizes will be given. Persian temple always gives the best. Tickets 25 cents. Nobles Ernest Kirk, B. W. Owsley and Clarence W. Baxter, committee. The public is invited.

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## News Of The Churches

### Corinthian Baptist Church

Services will be conducted on daylight saving time. Sunday at morning services, 11 a. m., Pastor Hendon will use as his theme, "Ethical Education." Services will be held in the interest of the graduates from the various schools and seminaries of the country belonging to the church. At the evening services, the subject will be "Spiritual Values." The Corinthian choir will furnish the music.

### St. Mark A. M. E. Z.

Rev. S. H. Marion, Pastor  
S. S. 9:30 a. m.; Services 11:15, by pastor subject, "Jonah Went the Wrong Way." Dinner will be served in the basement 1 to 2:30 p. m., by Mrs. Tessie Campbell and Mrs. Effie House. \* 3 p. m., sermon by Rev. J. T. Highbaugh, pastor of South Calvary Baptist church, and choir will sing. At this service our folk's rally. Our motto is \$125.00. The following ladies are asked to join Jones. We are asking all of our friends to come out Sunday and

see which one of these ladies will get the \$5 in gold. \* 6:30 p. m., V. C. E. society, 8:00 p. m., subject, "Christ at the Door." We are asking all members to pay their conference, claims because of our annual conference is only about 3 weeks off. Remember that St. Marks is the friendly church. We try to make everybody feel welcome. Simpson M. E.

The organization of Simpson M.

E. church will have a Block social June 25-26-27. Rev. E. A. White, pastor of Simpson, will preach a special sermon to the graduates Sunday morning at 11 o'clock daylight saving time. The public is invited.

Antioch Baptist Church  
Rev. N. E. Joseph, Pastor

The week's financial drive for the pastor's vacation ended Monday, June 11. Rev. W. H. Whitaker of Mt. Horeb Baptist church preached a special sermon for the pastor, after which a reception was given.

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Mail for the Irvin C. Miller, "Broadway Rastus" gang should be sent to the Booker Washington theatre, St. Louis, Mo., week of June 11th. The team of Billy and Willie Mae are opening the bill at the Walker, right here in Indianapolis. \* Miss Ida Griffin Brown, is doing the week at the Booker Washington theatre in St. Louis, this week with the Miller "Broadway Rastus" show. \* Joe Sim's "Dancing Days" company, are playing the week at the Lyric, down Louisville way. \* Our old friend Boisy DeLegge, has combined his "Bandanna Girls" company with Joe Bright's "Hop Scotch" they are playing the present week at the Lincoln theatre, Louisville. \* Beautiful Edna Barr, says mail will reach her all Jake, if sent to the Howard theatre, in the Nation's capital, the week of the 11th. \* Quintard Miller and Marcus Slater, are presenting a new edition of "Runnin' Wild," at the Lincoln theatre, away out in Los Angeles, Cal., the present week. \* Dainty little Caroline Snowdon, the Los Angeles, song bird and entertainer, will be the feature of the monster benefit, given in Los Angeles, on June 30th, for the N. A. A. C. P. defense fund. \* The "Taskiana Four" are in their 2nd week at the Lincoln theatre, out in Kansas City. \* Whitman Sister's "Hello Dixie" Revue are opening the Willard Chicago, this week. \* If rumor from the East is true, Josephine Baker international star and the toast of Paris night clubs, will be featured in "Black Birds of 1929," when it opens next spring. Lew Leslie is known to be seriously thinking of bringing or attempting to bring cur Joe back to the States. \*

## Surprise Party

A surprise birthday party was tendered to dainty Olive Lemons, star of the "Miss Annabell Lee," Co., while that company was playing the Roosevelt theatre, Cincinnati, the past week, by her husband, Eddie Lemons and Miss Ella Goodlow, at the beautiful residence of Miss Goodlow. A letter from Olive and Eddie, said that the party "just wouldn't wait," and many valuable presents were given her also, that Olive had spent 24 summers on this earth—but we wonder how many winters and that's that—Ha. Ha.



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## A Poem

IN MEMORY OF FLORENCE

By EDDIE HUNTER

The new show, "Black Birds" is the name;  
The title got its fame  
From the great little artist, Florence Mills;  
Her name still lives and thrills.  
The title of the show still draws strong,  
Due to the good work of a precious star, gone;  
Gone, gone, but not forgotten, no;  
I hear her name wherever I go.  
"Black Birds" is good, it's setting the pace.  
Ah, but still there seems to be a vacant place,  
And here in this great European land—  
To hear her name makes me feel grand.  
The title still draws, I must confess;  
She made it so; she did her best.  
God bless her; may she be at rest.

## Willard Theatre

CHICAGO, Ill., June 14.—The Willard theatre, Calumet Ave., at 51st street, Chicago's newest addition to the T. O. R. A. circuit opened Monday night past with a full house, with Mabel Whitman presenting the Whitman Sisters in "Hello Dixie," a revue par excellence.

The house which was recently taken over by M. Klein, has been completely redecorated and resented throughout.

## Jazzland Cabaret Opens

LOS ANGELES, Cal., June 15.—A. N. P.—After being closed for nearly a year, the Jazzland Cabaret has reopened under the management of Will Hefflin. Following the close of the "Humming Bird" Cabaret, there was not a cabaret open in the city, and devotees of night life were "all dressed up and no where to go."

CHICAGO, June 14.—A special company of Rang Tang musical comedy revue that had a short Broadway run, is being organized to open at the Woods theatre June 17th, for a run that it is hoped will continue thru the summer. The Woods has been dark for the past two weeks following the closing of the McCall-Bridge Co.

## FACTS!—NOT BULL

(BY TIM E. OWSELEY)

Rain checks were needed in Louisville during the week of June 4th, as it rained continuously from Monday morning until Sunday night. The pleasure of sight seeing for many out of town visitors as delegates to the many conventions of different nature held in the city during the week, was marred and business in most every line except taxi service was at a standstill from these June showers.

"Billboard" Jackson, as we show folks call him, attended one of these conventions. Mr. Jackson is in the Government service and his duty keeps him going from one place to the other steaming the tide for better business. Mr. Jackson, Irvin C. Miller and myself had a short conversation on the present show condition for colored people. It would take a book to tell what each of our experience has taught us.

Stimmons University held its Annual Commencement at the Lyric theatre Thursday afternoon, June 7. The Governor of Kentucky, F. D. Sampson addressed the body. There were Sixty-five on the roll of graduates from the different departments. A lot of knowledge turned loose on the world all book learning; experience will give them more Degrees and diplomas in life later. I wonder how many will be actors!

Irvin C. Miller himself and Emmett Anthony and Ida Brown, in "Broadway Rastus" played the Lyric; Joe Clark and his company of Joy Makers played The Lincoln; Slim Jones, Drew and Courtney, Mr. Pope, Christina Grey, Lella Bolden, Margaret Whitman were the outstanding features. Joe is a Louisville boy and as you know home folks are hard to please, but Joe pleased them.

Just how well these two houses are going to awaken Louisville to the habit of seeing entertainment and a play in a foreign land, I can not say. Louisville has many forms of entertainment, especially in night clubs free admission to all of them. There are musicians many as three to a band, some have just piano; most of them run all night; one of two stop between the witching hour and dawn. Some of them have entertainers and dancing, some dancing, and some ginger ale. When in Louisville, with a few hours to give the night, you can choose from the following: Allen House, modern refined night club; Humming Bird, music, dancing and ginger ale; Plantation, the hours are yours till morning; Hotel Walnut Cabaret, entertainers, music, dancing, ginger ale and the gang's all here.

Show folks travel the world over. Acting is a vocation a few colored people don't seem to realize that it is a profession; and like all other professions some graduate and receive diplomas for public service from master teachers as other professions. Some learn from experience as in the case of these days and times other professions have arranged it so you must have a High School learning to enter college then graduate from College to be recognized in that profession. Soon show folks will undergo the same process, because it is hard to entertain intelligent with less than a high school education before you begin; knowledge will help to save your body and give you higher ideals of life and make your profession worth while; and the same thing holds good with boys. The following artists are some who got high school training first: Johnnie Huggins, Fomes Begere, Paris France; Josephine Baker, touring Italy; Albert Hunter, Grand Theatre, Birmingham, Eng.; Russell and Vivian Shepard, Bush Eng.; Eddie Hunter, Norman Ashwood, London, Eng.; and here in the U. S. A. Miller and Services Earlander, Theatre, New York City; Able Mitchell, Maxine Theatre, New York City; Paul Robertson, Geo. M. Cohen Theatre, New York City, and several that space will not permit mentioning, all of whom are colored. Racial handicap in life is only as one will allow his mind to believe. Turn out life you will find that if you are honest with and to yourself "that THOUGHTS ARE THINGS"

## "Just Eddie And Olive"

Below: Dainty Olive Lopez, often called the most beautiful girl on the American stage, featured with and part owner of the Musical comedy "Miss Annabell Lee," playing the week at the Roosevelt theatre, Cincinnati.



Above: — Eddie Lemons, comedian, straight and character man of note, co-partner and owner of the "Miss Annabell Lee" Company touring over the T. O. B. A. circuit. This week finds them at the Roosevelt in Cincinnati. O., with Dayton and Columbus to follow.

SONG NUMBERS  
NOBLE SISSLE'S  
HIT IN ENGLAND

LONDON, June 2.—Noble Sissle, well-known in America as a song writer and entertainer, has demonstrated to all England, that he really can write songs. His first release, Nebraska, is now the most popular song hit in this country, with Westward Bound coming strong. Just give the Southland to me is another of his numbers that B. Feldman Co. has in its catalog of hits.

Sissle has a song with each of the London publishers. Limchouse Rosa, his new number written about the Limehouse district of London, is expected to be the instrumental hit of the year.

## Ladies Maid For 101 Show

Col. George L. Miller, general manager and Fred Seymour, general superintendent, of the Miller Bros' 101 Ranch Real Wild West show, have introduced in innovation by providing a colored maid in attendance at the ladies' restroom, just off of the connection at the front door.

The ladies' restroom has been doubled in size, so that complete privacy is assured, and, in addition to the maid service, dressing tables, mirrors, chairs, water and freshly laundered towels have been provided.

This appears to be the first time in the history of show business that such service has been provided by the management of a circus or similar outdoor show.

## At The Walker

The Walker is offering a five-act vaudeville bill this week in connection with feature playboys on the screen, the first half. Pops Negri, in "The Secret Hour," entertains you as only Pops can, in a love drama of unusual magnitude. Esther Ralston, is seen in "Something Always Happens" starting Thursday.

On the stage, the curtain rises on DuVall and his "Black Birds," in musical selections with Frank Fowler, thrown in solo. The curtain falls, and an overture is rendered on the organ, by Miss Mary Singleton. With the curtain again rising on the "Black Birds" and Frank Brown, introduces the different acts, as they come on.

First is Willie and Willa Mae a mixed team that sing, dance and talk. They are good dancers, but the male member of the team made a better impression with his singing than did the girl Monday night. They are followed by Anna White, a little lady who works under cover. We don't know just why, as she has plenty to offer without the comic effect. She opens with "Dear Old Southland," remaining back of curtain until she reaches the first chorus and enters amid a storm of applause, as she appears in typical Southern plantation dress. Returning with another number and being compelled to take an encore on it. A very good single with a pleasing voice. We would like to meet her off stage. Gold and Goldie follows with singing dancing, talking and end their act, with a musical number, the male member using a rhinestone studded clarinet that he seems to have. "I am a" up to his hand so well does it obey his slightest touch. While the female member uses a bango uke. The bill is closed by Hunter and Warfield two old favorites, both working under cork. In a comedy musical act. A group of local boys making up what is known as the "Coffee Pot band," was an added attraction Monday night. These boys sing, dance, joke and play their unique instruments in a way that seemed to please.

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Playing This  
Week

Lemons and Lopez's "Miss Annabell Lee" Roosevelt, Cincinnati. \* Irvin C. Miller's "Broadway Rastus" Booker Washington, St. Louis. \* Ethel Waters, Standard, Philadelphia. \* Joe Sim's "Dancing Days," Lyric, Louisville. \* "Dixie Club Revue," Howard, Washington, D. C. \* Miller and Slater's "Runnin' Wild," Lincoln, Los Angeles, Cal. \* "Hop Scotch and Bandanna Girls," Lincoln, Louisville. \* Lew Leslie's "Black Birds of 1928," Liberty, New York. \* Arthur Hockwells "Georgia Minstrels," World theatre, Omaha, Neb. \* Dewey Weinglass' "Rollin' Along," Lafayette, New York. \* "Harlem Topics," Alhambra, New York. \* Circus Week, Lincoln, Kansas City. \* Ed Daley's "Rarin' to Go," Koppin, Detroit. \* Irvin C. Miller's "All Girl Revue," Atlanta, Ga. \* "Red Spikes" Folies, John Miljan and Police Quartet, Regent, Baltimore. \* Whitman Sister's "Hello Dixie," Willard, Chicago. \* Worthy and Thompson, Grand, St. Louis. \* Joyner and Foster, 1st half, American, New York City. \* Dave and Tressie, Pantages, Portland, Oregon. \* Miller and Lykes, Keith's palace, New York. \* Chilton and Thomas, Albee, New York. \* "Norman Thomas' Five," Lyon's park, Morristown, N. J. \* "Exposition Four," Pantages, Minneapolis, Minn.

## Circus Routes

JOHN ROBINSON  
June 14, Glens Falls, N. Y. 15, Greene Island, 16, Gloversville, 18, Oneonta.  
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## In The Mailbag

WOLFEHAMPTON, England.—June 1st, 1928.—  
Indianapolis Recorder  
518-520 Indianapolis, Indiana  
Dear Sirs:

Just a line to let you hear from me. I am well and meeting with great success and I trust you are doing likewise. It is indeed a pleasure to receive your paper, I enjoy same immensely. You may as well place me on your subscription list and kindly forward me by return mail what the charges are.

All mail will reach me at my above London address; I shall be pleased to hear from you often and I shall keep in touch with you and keep you posted of what ever news I think might interest you in these parts.

I left New York City January 27th, 1928 midnight, on the Aquitania and I arrived in London, England February 3rd, and on my arrival I got busy writing songs and sketches for the show. We rehearsed two weeks then the show opened Feb. 20th in Swansea, Wales, and I am glad to say that the show is very successful. "Blackbirds" is a name made famous by Miss Florence Mills. She really made that title well known and famous in these parts and I am proud to state the show is making good everywhere throughout the Provinces and all credit is really due her for she certainly has paved the way for others. I am holding my place in this show as a star and I will be away from America for some time yet.

Enclosed you have a brief press notice of the Star of Wolfehampton, also program and billing matter.

Johnny Huggins is in London doing great; Layton and Johnston are very successful also; the Three Edgies are in Paris doing wonderful; Noble Sissle is taking London by storm doing great; and four harmony kings are in Germany doing very successful; Paul Robeson is the hit of "Show Boat" in London; Miss Abba Hatter is doing nicely in "Show Boat"; Kent and Bernice are meeting with great success in Paris; Hatch and Carpenter are meeting with great success in fact all the race artists are doing great and I am happy to see them all so successful.

I am writing a new musical comedy which will be known as "The Black Cat" Music and lyrics will be by Edgar Dowl, and Eddie Hunter, which I will offer on my return to America. The book will consist of ten scenes. I hope to make it surpass my "How Come" book.

Well dear friend I have said about all I can think of so I will bring this letter to a close. I hope before long I wish to ask a favor of you: would you please kindly publish in your paper the enclosed poem I have written in memory of the late Florence Mills. I will offer on my return to America, the book will consist of ten scenes. I hope to make it surpass my "How Come" book.

Yours, truly

EDDIE HUNTER.

P. S. — This show has no connection with Mr. Lew Leslie's American "Black Birds" of 1928. Now playing Broadway N. Y. C. Mr. T. Elder Hearn, bought the European rights to same. I wrote some of the scenes and re-wrote those written by two white writers of note over here. I had to do so in order to make same stronger in Negro comedy.

Providence, R. I.,  
June 7, 1928.

Mr. J. Ernest Webb,  
The Indianapolis Recorder,  
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Dear Mr. Webb:

I received your wonderful paper and enjoyed reading same and I am always glad to read your race papers.

And I really appreciate the little announcement that you mentioned in your last week's issue of The Indianapolis Recorder.

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Thanks for the favor and pass favors that you give us in your paper.

With the very best of personal wishes, I remain

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H. DRAKE.

Drake & Walker Revue.

Chicago, June 11th, 1928.

Dramatic Editor,  
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## Drake And Walker

## A REVIEW

(From Providence R. I., Daily)  
Palace Theatre

"My Chocolate Gal" the three act musical comedy which is the stage attraction at the Palace theatre today and tomorrow is drawing capacity houses at every performance. This company of 35 clean colored artists put on an unusually entertaining performance. Everything is new and original and Drake and Walker, the two famous stars are a whole show by themselves. The jazz band renders the latest and snappiest of music and the creole chorus are all dancers of great ability.

The screen attraction is Esther Ralston in "Something Always Happens," a mystery farce melodrama. It has more thrills than you have ever experienced before. But there is a laugh in every thrill. The production was based on an original story written especially for Miss Ralston by Frank Tuttle, who directed her in "Love and Learn" and "The Spotlight." Tuttle, former Yale dramatic writer and author of a number of one act successes, conceived more than one hundred adventurous situations, which give the star a great opportunity for satirical work.

## "Blackbirds"

AT THE HIPPODROME  
(A Review of the London Edition from the London Express and Star)

How these coloured artists can dance. There are half a dozen members of this company, excluding the chorus, who, for slickness, can lick the heads (and feet) of most English revue stars at tap dancing.

The writer does not know whether Johnny Nit is, as described on the programme, the world's greatest tap dancer but he must be well in the running. The rapid tattoo of his fitting feet is positively bewildering.

The production is particularly strong in dancing, for in addition to the fleet-footed Johnny, Bert Russell, Ben Hadem, Robert Williams, and Clinton Taylor are all agile foot artists.

The two last-named give a special number—back chat and dancing, both clever—and also assist in a number of amusing sketches. Eddie Hunter is the chief funny man, and all his work is done very capably. Norman Astwood and Anita Edwards are two pleasing vocalists, and the former, together with Fannie Hendrickson and Flossie Pearce, also help with the sketches.

The chorus girls—able dancers keep the pace a lively one all through with the exception of the opening scene, which would be more suitable for the middle of the piece. A livelier first movement would be an improvement.

## Butterbeans And Susie

Butterbeans and Susie the popular vaudeville headliners, were the feature act on a bill of 5, at the Booker Washington theatre, out in St. Louis, the past week and as usual walked away with the honors.

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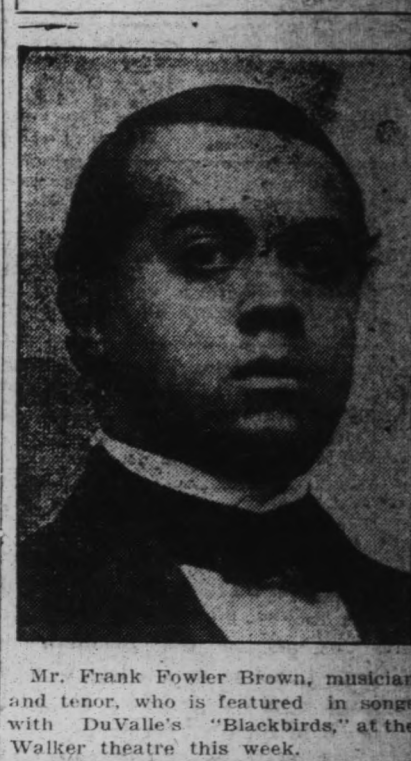
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## VACATION DAYS

With the end of the commencement season at hand, teachers and students throughout the land are looking forward to vacation days.

Some of the teachers will attend summer schools, some will travel, and all will or should engage in some kind of activity that tends to benefit them in their profession.

A majority of the school children will give little thought to matters intellectual until the fall term is near. They will give most of their time to amusement, forget school and the upkeep of their mental store.

It is well that youths get away from the school room grind for a time and find relaxation in those things that appeal to normal children. But this can be done without making the vacation period a useless waste of time.

The vacation as viewed by most school children is a season of idleness. It allows for more sleep, play and whatnot. While this is the routine of a large number of boys and girls, some will be engaged in gainful employment by choice or necessity.

Among those boys and girls who have all their time for leisure, it would be a fine thing, if these set aside an hour or so each day for study or the reading of the right kind of books. The proper reading and study would not only prevent the accumulation of mental cobwebs, but leave a store of knowledge useful in the coming school year and after life.

Again the normal boy who is interested in life and activity outdoors, has the opportunity to enjoy a profitable outing at the expense of the Federal government in the Citizens' Military Training Camps. These camps held for thirty days in different localities throughout the land and are doing a wonderful work among the nation's youths.

The camps promote obedience to law and respect for the institutions of well ordered society. The youths who attend the camps are aided in physical health, mental vigor and moral excellence. All youths between the ages of 17 and 24 years may attend. Necessary expenses including transportation to and from the camps to which successful candidates are assigned will be met by the government.

Uniforms, shoes, hats, leggins and other articles of soldiers' clothing, together with arms and ammunition, will be furnished without cost by the army. Food is served in good variety and of the best quality, well cooked by qualified army chefs. There is no charge whatever for meals, living quarters, or necessary laundry.

The enrollment of youths in the local area must be completed by June 25th, but it seems the inducements are such that a thousand youths of Indiana, Ohio, Illinois and Kentucky would enroll.

All the suggestions made herein are reminders to parents and boys and girls who would like to make the best use of their vacation season and take back to the class room next fall something more substantial than coats of tan and Chigoe bumps.

## THE LYNCHING OF PROPERTY

The property of Negro people, about the country, and strikingly so in the north is subject more and more to the outrage of bombers and riotous individuals. The same spirit that prompts individuals to deprive citizens of life without due process of law, in one part of the nation, incenses them to destroy the property of other citizens elsewhere. There is a fairly well respected tradition surrounding the "right of property" and its reverence, which has been upheld by law and order ordinarily, save in the Southland.

However, the outrages against property have increased in the north and west in the last decade or more. Very rarely, if ever, are the bombers or vandals apprehended and punished by law. And in the city of Philadelphia recently, police stood by while vandals wrecked the home of a citizen, according to reports.

In many instances where property of Negro citizens is damaged or destroyed by bombers or riotous individuals, the property of other citizens is damaged, and not always that of other Negro citizens. This fact includes a point against the lynching of property—which takes a turn unlike the lynching of men.

In any locality where findings against property are committed, the job of finding and punishing the perpetrators of the outrage is a matter for police officials to handle. But police officials, as previously noted, rarely catch the guilty parties. A condition has arisen wherein the perpetrators of such outrages have apparently grown to have little fear of the law or punishment. And under such circumstances mob violence as expressed in the destruction of property continues to grow.

A bomber and the rioter who destroy property and their breed are lynchers. They lynch property and like the real lynchers, sometimes destroy life in their rampages. We have far too many laws on the statute books of the land, but there should be a law in every state, where wholesome public opinion prevails, against bombers and riotous individuals who destroy the property of others. The law should carry a severe penalty and be enforced by public opinion, for it is evident that no citizen's life and property is now safe against the arm of mob violence which has produced the bomber and his breed.

## CHINA FIGHTS AND MOVES FORWARD?

According to a recent issue of "The Review," (China Weekly) more than a million and two hundred thousands of Chinese troops are ready for battle, and under some in the battle area of China. This spectacle in China with a population perhaps of more than four hundred millions of people is worthy of notice.

Today China's government, industry and commerce are in chaos. But a few Chinese who have made profitable contacts with the western world have a great vision of raising China to a high place

among the nations of the world. Among other things contributing to the present conditions in the country are the strife, warfare and turmoil the Chinese have carried on among themselves.

Leaders of the southern government, men trained in the western world, see the necessity of training an army skilled and prepared to support the government, as it carries on its program of development of China. The leaders of the southern government have proven their ability to rally men, and the time has passed when any one can question the fighting qualities of Chinese soldiers.

Once there is a stable government in China, the leaders trained in western ways, no doubt will proceed with some attempt to develop China along the lines of the leading nations of the earth. One essential in such a program is an efficient military organization. Today their machines of war are quite, if not more important than man power. China has the natural resources and at such time as a stable government has been established the leaders can give their attention to the many problems involved in industrial and commercial development. This development is essential if the nation is to have an assured and adequate supply of war materials.

Industrial development of China will come with a stable government. It will be a slow development, and there are many factors yet to intervene in this development. But fighting ability and facilities will displace a great deal of outside intervention, and create the proper respect for the Chinese people.

It is possible the world powers will come to concede "China to Chinese," and accept China in the conclave of nations on an equal basis before her fighting capacity reaches the maximum in facilities. If so, the awakening of China and the "rising tide of color" may not bring the peril to "white supremacy," which has been a matter of anxious speculation among the white races.

One of the easy jobs of this world, would be to pick out the best people for so many people are ready to vouch for themselves.

It is a wise policy not to strain the confidence of people who believe in you.

The timid fellow is usually out with the old straw hat along with the first robin.

It seems the magnates of the Chicago bombing industry have opened up offices in several near-by cities.

## Our Contemporaries Say

### THE CASE OF BEN BESS

The Governor of South Carolina has granted a pardon to Ben Bess who had spent thirteen years in the penitentiary, convicted of assault upon a white woman. The woman in the case recently recanted her testimony upon which Bess was convicted, by signing an affidavit which read, "Since I have not much longer to live, I hereby desire, as much as possible to undo the great wrong I have done this Negro, Ben Bess, and I hereby declare my testimony upon the trial of this case to be untrue."

All through the years of his confinement Bess maintained his innocence and pleaded for clemency. When arrested he was a property owner, but when he left prison he had only twelve cents and a severe cough, contracted during his confinement. The editor of the Columbia State sent a check for sixty dollars, to aid a relief fund being collected by the Florence News Review. A special correspondent of the New York World cites the case as "a strange example of the workings of race prejudice." It undoubtedly illustrates the prejudice encountered in Southern courts, but is not so strange as the correspondent would have it appear. We quote his account:

"Bess was a substantial farmer and landowner of Florence County. Mrs. Collins and her husband, Frank, the latter now dead, were tenants on the Negro's farm, planting a part of the land. The white people were of very low character, ignorant, illiterate and without principle. They associated freely with the Negro and his family.

"Although there was evidence that Bess and the woman had conducted an affair for some time, there was no objection by Frank Collins, until Bess decided not to rent his farm to the white people again. After that Collins brought the charge and Mrs. Collins clinched it with her testimony against Bess.

Jurors and others say, in official records in the Governor's office, that had there not been grave doubt "whether the unlawful intercourse complained of was committed by force or with the consent of the prosecutrix" the Negro would have been summarily found guilty at the first trial and electrocuted.

"The defending attorney, now dead, W. F. Clay, said in a note to Gov. Manning, August 4, 1915, that not a lawyer in the court believed the Negro guilty and that a juror said he believed the relationship had been voluntary but "the black scoundrel should serve time for having relations with a white woman."

Cases of women perjuring themselves in order to convict men on a false charge of assault are not unknown, even in New York City. Newspaper readers whose memories go back a decade or more can recall the case of Barbara Aub, upon whose testimony a jury convicted a white man of assault. Before the accused was sent to the penitentiary his accuser confessed that her story was false and he was finally acquitted. A similar charge was preferred against a Wall street broker, the woman alleging that the assault was committed in his private office within hearing of his staff of clerks and bookkeepers. Although the accuser was white and the defendant colored, the case was regarded as an attempt at blackmail and he was acquitted.

The lesson of Bess' case is that the life and property of any black man in the south may be jeopardized by a false charge of this nature. Even if, as in the case of Bess, he escapes lynching by a mob, he is liable to conviction by a jury regardless of his guilt or innocence, but solely because of color prejudice. The State can make no reparation that will compensate for the time that Bess has spent in prison, and it may be that his confinement has incapacitated him from earning a living. To make the woman's perjury the subject of a grand jury inquiry, would hardly help matters, unless it emphasized the need for caution in acting upon such unsupported testimony.

—THE NEW YORK AGE.

## HOMELY PHILOSOPHY

### THINKING IN A CIRCLE

What can be more futile than thinking in a circle? To go round and round in a mental cage like a squirrel repeating the same phrases, making the same weak affirmatives and then doing the same thing over and over again.

The only cure is to dash out suddenly, break away, do something different and then one is able to take a deep breath and move out and out into new spaces—Are you in a vicious circle? Are you tired or heavy laden? If so, break away resolutely, suddenly as when one steps out into the cold and bracing waves at the seashore.

—GEORGIA DOUGLAS JOHNSON.

## MALONEY'S MIND

THE REPUBLICAN NATIONAL CONVENTION is on. Kansas City is the erstwhile hub of the nation. Whatever is done at Kansas City is going to count towards the making of current history. Herbert Hoover seems to be the most highly favored as well as the most extensively despised of all the candidates. Arrayed against him are friends of Lowden, Curtis, Dawes, Goff, and Watson. The opposition contends that Hoover is not a genuine Republican. Said Watson in one of the protest meetings: "We have the right to assume that somebody will be nominated whose very life will be the embodiment of the history, traditions, principles and policies of the Republican party." I am wondering if those traditions, principles and policies are a unity, whether they could be embodied in the personality of a single individual and leave that individual sane and sound and safe. "There is confusion," and that individual might explode by virtue of spontaneous internal combustion. This argument based on adherence to form is of all arguments the most trivial. The individual who is afflicted with such attributes would be a machine and not a man. He would have no initiative and no atmosphere for self expression. This is just the type of person for president that nobody wants. Roosevelt was not that type. Cleveland was not, Wilson was not and Coolidge is not. These men show minds of their own—minds fit to meet any of all arguments because they were functioning minds and not stilted minds. The opponents of Hoover ought to be big enough to get away from silly little thrusts at personalities and address themselves to vital matters.

HOOPER MIGHT NOT BE NOMINATED, BUT THE FACT THAT HIS MIND IS CAST IN A BIG MOULD SHOULD NOT MILITATE AGAINST HIS CANDIDACY. FOR ALL WE KNOW PRESIDENT COOLIDGE MIGHT BE THE CHOICE OF THE CONVENTION'S CHOICE MIGHT BE TOO STRONG TO ALLOW HIS CHOICE TO STAND ONE THING IS CERTAIN, AND THAT IS THAT AL SMITH IS A POWER THAT IS NOT TO BE PLAYED WITH. CHANGES IN PARTY CONTROL OF THE GOVERNMENT ARE DESIRABLE, PARTIES PERPETUATED IN OFFICE, LIKE INDIVIDUALS PERPETUATED IN OFFICE, TEND TO WAX FAT AND SLUGGISH AND TO BECOME USELESS.

Pre-convention events point ominously to the conviction that the Negro's status in national republican politics is thinning out to nothingness. Our leadership has been visionless and blind. As a result we are being ditched. A call for a re-evaluating of our social and political values is in order. Negro leaders in politics must put their heads together and work out new strategy, new modes of attack, new approaches to our political heritage. Recourse to sentiment has lost its efficacy; and peanut politics dripping with crudity and ignorance will stand the on-slaught no longer. A virile, honest, intelligent leadership is the need of the moment.

IT APPEARS THAT MADDEN'S VACANT SEAT IS NOT GOING TO BE A SYNECURE FOR A COLORED MAN. AT LEAST THREE COLORED MEN ARE IN THE FIELD SEEKING THE SEAT. THIS IS LIKELY TO GIVE SOME WHITE CANDIDATE A CHANCE TO SLEEP IN IT. THIS SHOULD TAKE PLACE. IT IS NOT BEYOND THE BOUNDS OF PROBABILITY THAT BETWEEN THIS AND THE NEXT CONGRESSIONAL ELECTION SOME RED-DISTRICTING MIGHT BE DONE SO AS TO

NEGATIVE THE UNDISPUTED NEGRO MAJORITY IN THE NOW EXISTING CONGRESSIONAL AREA. I WONDER IF PARTISAN BICKERING IS GOING TO ACT HERE TO DEPRIVE THE NEGROES OF THAT DISTRICT OF A GOOD CHANCE TO SEND A REPRESENTATIVE TO THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS. LET IT NOT BE!

The first annual commencement of the Crispus Attucks High school was held on Friday night of last week. A class of 168 pupils stood on the stage and received their diplomas for time spent and mental discipline gained. The exercises were splendidly arranged and executed. The musical numbers contributed largely towards enlivening the occasion and uplifting the cast audience. Standing room was at a premium in spite of the fact that admission was by invitation only. Superintendent Miller of the city schools was most happy in his commencement address. Mr. Miller talked, not for personal effect. He does not need such boost.

He talked in interest of the Negro, his particular and student life in general. He is not a mollycoddle; not given to soft, smooth, meaningless phrases. But he has a grasp on the basic educational needs of American citizenship and he expounded his doctrine with clarity, power and conviction. His message was full of hope, and help and health. The mechanics of the exercise were well handled. One could not fail to see the evidences of team work and esprit-de-corps. Mr. Noleox and his faculty deserve commendation for organizing such a splendid machinery in so short a time. That is indicative of high executive ability.

AT THIS WRITING (SATURDAY, 9th) NEWS KEEPS SEEPING OUT TO THE EFFECT THAT A N EPOCH-MAKING CHANGE IS ABOUT TO BE ANNOUNCED. THIS IS SCARY. IT SHOULD BE READERS OF THE INDIANAPOLIS RECORDER WILL RECALL A STATEMENT OF MINE IN THE ISSUE OF APRIL 14TH AT WHICH TIME, SPEAKING ON EDUCATION, I SAID "INDIANAPOLIS HAS A SPLIT SCHOOL SYSTEM. THAT IS BAD \* \* BUT THE SPLIT DOES NOT GO FAR ENOUGH. DOES NOT GO FAR ENOUGH. DOES NOT GO FAR ENOUGH. SHOULD GO HAVING ONCE STARTED. IT SHOULD GO FROM JANITOR TO CITY SUPERINTENDENT. AS IT IS WE HAVE A MONSTROSITY WITH TWO-FULL-GROWN BODIES ATTACHED TO A SINGLE HEAD."

This movement is calculated to correct such an error. It is bound to make for greater efficiency. If we must have separation I want complete separation. That is my contention in the Episcopal church. If the churches must be separated in worship; and colored priests be assigned to colored churches, then let colored bishops be assigned to colored dioceses. If a colored priest is good enough to pastor, preach, baptize, administer the communion and prepare candidates and ordain his fellows to the priesthood, Segregation is bad. But all other things being equal, segregation in part is more humiliating than segregation from stem to stern.

By next week information regarding the above-mentioned changes may become official and public. At that time I shall have some added observations to make on the matter.

The State Medical, and Pharmaceutical Association held sessions last week. These sessions were profitable. A fair representation from throughout the state was on hand. The climax came on Friday night with a brilliant reception and dance in the Walker ball room.

## CUBS COLUMN

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NO ASSESSMENTS OF ANY SORT  
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Answers To Last Week's Questions  
1. Belgium.  
2. Basque.  
3. In pauch under abdomen.  
4. By disgorging foul smelling contents from its crop, upon the intruder.  
5. Russia.  
6. Palace of Pope in Rome.

1. What was Lincoln's prime motive in freeing the slaves?  
2. What are the three major political parties of England?  
3. Who was Sir Walter Scott?  
4. Who was the Federal commander-in-chief at the Battle of Gettysburg?  
5. What biblical prophet is alleged to have been cast into a lion's den and came out unharmed?  
6. What date is given for the falling of the stars?

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## Bedtime Stories

### THE MASTER THIEF

"Lord count," answered the master thief, "think of three things as difficult as you like and if I do not perform your tasks, do with me what you please. The count reflected for some minutes and then said, "Well then in the first place, thou shalt steal the horse. I keep for my own riding, out of the stable; in the vent thou shalt steal the sheet from beneath the bodies of my wife and myself when we are asleep, without our observing it, and the wedding ring of my wife as well as the keys of the church, the parson and clerk. Mark what I'm saying for your life depends on it."

### NEW CASTLE, IND.

By Mrs. Gertrude Walden  
Mrs. Ida Neal spent Wednesday in Indianapolis. Mr. Dobson, of Fort Wayne, Mr. Gorden of Indianapolis, Mr. Brennen, Mr. Maxwell of Peru, are stopping with Mr. and Mrs. David Neal. \* Mrs. Lelia Seehey and son, Earl, have returned to Washington, D. C. \* Mrs. Della Poindexter is much better. \* Mrs. Ernest Montgomery has returned to her home in Cincinnati after a week's visit with her mother. \* The Murin Choral group at Wiley M. E. church was fine

## HIGH LOW

By Harry Jackson

Passed the south-east corner of Indiana avenue and North street last evening. Disgraceful actions and obscene language seen and heard there contribute to the making of this corner a sore eye to the community. In view of the fact that the Y. W. C. A. is situated on an opposite corner more than doubles the need of the police cleaning up that deplorable hang-out.

Walked down the street with ex-Mayor John Holtzman. He says "Efficiency and reliability count now-a-days."

OUT OUR WAY WE HAVE A COLORED MILK-MAN.

Having been in a drug store at Indiana avenue and Vermont St., for over a score of years makes Ward Wilson, Registered Pharmacist, seem to be "a long ways from home." Ward is on the north side now.

Up to this writing I have not seen "Maj." Edward Gaillard for over a month. Will someone kindly page him.

Another automobile accident at Indiana avenue and West street. Average now from one to three a week.

Can't get the idea of churches advertising their concerts in theatres and their pastors sermonizing against the theatres. Nope! Can't get it.

At Sixteenth and Senate avenue, there is a cleaning plant owned and controlled by a former south-side man that is a concrete example of sticking to a business and growing while you stick. This man has put in over twenty years of hustle into his still growing business.

One should be broad minded enough to appreciate the intelligence of a man with whom he differs—that is, if he has any.

Dr. Homer Wales thinks that color is a barrier to the progress of a Negro. Johnny Bankett does not think so. John Hardrick, portrait artist, thinks so. Marcus Stewart, managing editor of The Indianapolis Recorder, thinks not. Well, any how, his color does not help him to progress.

Mr. Business man, why solicit business on your color? Be a peer in your line and the world will seek you.

Stopped on the highway. "Young Colonel" Charles Brown, Mrs. W. Cannon, Dr. Henry Armstrong, Mrs. Rose Bailey, Prof. Albert Johnson, Mrs. Jennie Bailey, R. B. Shelton and as the lawyers say, et al. (and others). Thanks for the expressions on "High Low."

Luabelle of the Coffee Pot. Soft music, professor, please! From a distant city came Luabelle. A runaway girl was she but with honest intentions of returning home. Some day, to mama and papa. But Luabelle was detained—Detained by a Hoosier lad. Luabelle did not resist. Held a captive here. He changed Luabelle's name. Now Luabelle can't go home to see ma and pa, until Luabelle's hubby says yes. Tears. Curtain.

the program being for benefit of rally and for Mrs. Minnie Ford, who is captain of club No. 3. Mrs. Ford turned over the treasurer's Sunday. Mrs. Orville Haynes of Muncie, spent a few days last week as guest of her mother-in-law, Mrs. Ida Neal. \* Tip Harrison and Miss Pearl Mavida spent the week end in Indianapolis. \* Mr. and Mrs. Frank Modlin had as their dinner guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Grear, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Shumake, Mr. and Mrs. D. Neal and Charles Givore. \* The Wiley S. will have a Children's day exercise June 17. \* Howard Curtis spent the week end in Wabash. \* Hubert Russell is very ill at the home of his mother, Mrs. H. Poindexter. \* Mr. Perkins spent week end in Ft. Wayne. \* T. Ross was the guest of Mrs. Clarinda Haynes, Sunday. \* Mr. Thompson of Muncie, was guest Sunday. \* Mrs. Katherine Archie, Sunday. \* Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bailey and son spent the week end in Richmond. \* Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hall were callers to the bedside of their son, Everett Hall, Ft. 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## Activities Of Women, Their Clubs And Societies

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## Society News

## SEASON OF BRIDES AND VACATION

The gayest and most colorful season of the year is here — the month of brides and pleasant vacations brings home students once more. Almost a half-dozen beautiful weddings are scheduled for this month. Some of them have already taken place.

The evening of the sixth brought the beautiful Ellis-Haywood nuptial, soon that of Miss Speight to Oscar Smith, will take place, followed by the Wharton-Riley wedding. And there has been no end to secret marriages.

The graduates now have their turn and a joyful group it is. The following will receive degrees from Butler university next Wednesday morning: Misses Callie Scrivner, Ethel Ransom, Anna Mundy, Ruby R. Pace, Velma P. Pritchett, Lucile Shumake, Elizabeth Clark, Lucy Belle DuPon and Lillian Hunt. Forrest Wiggins completed Studies At Indiana University School of Medicine.

## LINTHOCOME-GRAY

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Elsie Gray, daughter of Mr. G. N. T. Gray, to Dr. S. Richard Linthocome, which took place Monday, at Greenfield, Ind., Dr. and Mrs. Linthocome, will leave Tuesday, by motor, on a honeymoon trip to Canada and points east.

The Rev. and Mrs. W. D. Speight in North California street, have issued invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Annie Louise, to Os-

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## HARRIS-BUFFORD WEDDING

The news of the marriage of Miss Theodora Bufford, to Chas. K. Harris, manager of the Harris Bros. studio, comes as a pleasant surprise to his many friends and patrons. The ceremony took place May 25th, at Muncie, Ind.

Mrs. Harris was assistant manager for 6 months preceding the marriage. She is the daughter of Mrs. Edwards, of Ashbury park, N. J.

Jennie Edwards, 1914 Miller street, by the Parent-Teacher association, resolutions were read in honor of the progressive year's work done by Prof. H. M. Riley and the teachers. The association gave Prof. Riley, much credit in his ability to conduct SAFETY-MEETINGS and win the \$25, reward offered by the Hoosier Motor Club. Great emphasis was laid upon the fact that this was the first race school to accomplish such a feat. Musical numbers were given by Mrs. S. DeChamp Riley, the charming wife of Prof. Riley.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lewis, have moved from 1539 Cornell Avenue, to 2018 Yandes street.

Mrs. A. E. Goins of 707 N. West street, will have as her guest during Summer vacation her niece, Miss Irene Jackson, of South Bend, Ind. Miss Jackson arrived Monday night and was honor guest Monday night in a theatre party, given by Mr. Jesse Davis at the Walker theatre. She visited the Crispus Attucks high school Tuesday A. M., as guest of Misses Georgia Taylor and Arletta Haggerty.

Dr. H. L. Hummons, announces that he will spend six weeks at the Ind. U. School of medicine, taking a post graduate course in the diseases of children.

School Principal Entertained / Prof. and Mrs. H. M. Riley and their husbands, were guests at a reception given in their honor Thursday evening, at 8:30 P. M., at the home of Mrs.

Miss Vivian E. Reynolds, the daughter of Mrs. Myrtle K. White, was graduated from Crispus Attucks High school, last Friday night. She completed the required course in three and one half years, and was one of the students, to receive a Scholarship to the Indiana university.

J. L. Todd, is spending the summer at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Owens, Atlanta, Ind., making week-end visits to the city.

Rev. Wm. Buford Carr, Congregational Evangelist of the A. M. E. Zion church, is in the city filling local engagements.

Miss B. Margaretta Jones, of Pittsburgh, Pa., the 18-year-old girl evangelist of the A. M. E. Zion church, is in the city. She preached at First Baptist church Wednesday evening and Jones tabernacle, Thursday.

Jas. Gray, who has been attending Houston Junior college, Houston, Texas, has arrived home to spend the summer with his father, G. N. T. Gray.

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## With The Clubs

Mr. Joseph Ealy, 1722 Alford St., will entertain the East End Diamond Leaf Peasure club Monday evening.

The McHim and I club will meet Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. N. Moody, 2902 N. Meridian St.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Flake entertained the Pastime club Friday evening. Mrs. Elizabeth Mailes, pres. The Needle Craft club met with Mrs. Addie McAllister, Wednesday evening. Minerva Worthington, pres.

Mrs. Fannie Murray In Recital

The Cosmopolitan School of Music and Fine Arts cordially invites the public to a recital at Bethel A. M. E. church Sunday at 4 o'clock daylight saving time, at which time will appear, Mrs. Fannie Murray, vocal student of Mrs. Lucretia Mitchell, assisted by Lucille Collins and Aletha Gray, piano students of Lillian M. LeMoe, and the Cosmopolitan school quartet and chorus will render selections.

St. Margaret's guild will meet Thursday with Mrs. Elizabeth Coleman, 445 W. 25th St.

The auxiliary of the Kilt Golf club will meet Wednesday evening, June 20th with Mrs. Edith Patton, 2241 N. Western Ave., Apt. 1.

Pew Service Elizabeth Holden, musical director of the Second Baptist Gospel chorus, will have a new service, Sunday, June 17, from 4 to 5 o'clock. The public is invited.

Mrs. Jennie Bailey entertained the Royal Ten club with a dinner party Friday evening. Mrs. Willa Bradley in Boulevard place, will be next hostess.

Colored Woman's Republican Club, Inc., To Meet

The Colored woman's Republican club will hold its regular meeting Monday evening, June 18th, at Shiloh Baptist church at 8 o'clock, Standard time. The educational committee of which Miss Zenobia Fisher is chairman, will make its report. The Speaker's committee, headed by Miss Louise Hamilton, will report plans for the fall campaign. A Round Table talk on "The Presidential Election" will be led by Mrs. Myrtle Robinson of the campaign and election committee. Plans will also be made for a summer party. All women interested in the government are urged to be present.

Mrs. Samuel Hudson of Woodstock drive, was hostess to the Friendly Circle club Thursday. Miss Zella Hightower of St. Paul, Minn., was an out-of-town guest. The Sigma Gamma Rho held the election of officers at their last meeting. The following were elected: Margaret Smith, pres.; Helen Wilson, vice-pres.; Gertrude Martin, sec.; Bessie Rhodes, corresponding sec.; Nannie Mae Foster, financial sec.; Blanche Edwards, treasurer; Madge McCain, journalist.

The Southwestern Hoosiers club will be the host to visiting Hoosiers in Chicago, the 23rd of August. They are planning to entertain these visitors as only Chicago knows how. To that end they are giving a pretty baloon dance, Monday, June 18th at Elks' club house, 3672 Michigan ave. They met at the pretty home of Mrs. Edna Wright on Sunday, June 10 and planned the details of this little dance. The color scheme of the club is purple and white and these colors will be blended everywhere in an amazing and gorgeous spectacle. Mr. Bert Lawhorn, state president, discussed with the club the new organization recently formed by him in Indianapolis. A dainty repast was served by the hostess, Viola Lawhorn, reporter.

Mrs. Callie Bailey will be hostess to the Phyllis Wheatley embroidery club Thursday, June 24, at her home, 544 W. 26th St. The club will close for the summer with an indoor picnic, June 28th, at the home of Mrs. Viola Banks, 1737 Arsenal ave. Members are requested to pay up vacation dues by that time.

The Rex club will meet with Mrs. Rosie Fisher, 1915 Cornell ave., Sunday afternoon.

The Woman's council will meet Monday, June 18, with Mrs. Perkins, 912 N. West St. All members please be present.

The Woman's council scholarship was won by Ruth Sergeant, a student of Crispus Attucks High school. Mrs. Mary Keys, pres.

Mrs. Pearl M. Wilson, 454 W. 12th St., was hostess to the Elite club Wednesday evening.

The Ethical Culture Society will meet promptly Sunday from 5:15 to 6:30 p. m. daylight saving time at Bethel church. All members are urged to come early so ample time may be had for the program. This Sunday a special program has been arranged to welcome Ethical members who have returned home for the summer. Refreshments will be served. All former members and their friends are cordially invited.

The Men Of Allen Will Present The Garfield Ave. M. E. Church Chorus Of 60 Voices (White)

Under the leadership of Wm. C. Hitz, director and organist at Allen Chapel A. M. E. Church Wednesday Eve., June 20, 8:30, Daylight Saving time.

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## ELLIS-HAYWOOD WEDDING

Palms, ferns and cut flowers made an attractive setting at Christ temple church for the wedding of Miss Fannie A. Haywood, only daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. G. T. Haywood, and Mr. Robert C. Ellis of Jacksonville, Fla., Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. The altar was lighted with cathedral candles.

The ceremony was read by the Rev. K. F. Smith of Columbus, O., secretary of the National organization of Apostolic churches. Miss Katherine Baka of Bloomington, Indiana, played a program of bridal airs before the ceremony and Mrs. Ada Alhrath played the wedding march.

Mr. Earl Howard was best man, and the ushers were Orville Haywood, Timothy Holmes, Elmer Bufford, Leon Holmes, Benjamin Parker and Drew Harrison. The bride's attendant was Miss Vivian Bihlbre of Dallas, Texas, as maid of honor, and Misses Willa B. Howard, Mildred King, Bessie Mae Holmes, Iona Baka of Bloomington, Ind., Viola Horner and Lola Holmes as bridesmaids. Sarah Elizabeth Haywood and Cynthia Ann Dawson were flower girls who carried baskets of rose petals.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, pastor of Christ Temple. She wore a gown of georgette and satin, fastened at the waist with a buckle of rhinestones. Her veil was of tulle, decorated with orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of bridal roses and daisies. The bridesmaids wore dresses of rainbow colors.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home at 1902 N. Capitol avenue. There were a large number of out-of-town guests present, from New York City, Denver, Colo., Detroit, Mich., Chicago, Ill., and Indiana were largely represented. They are at home at 120 Storm avenue, Jersey City, N. J.

Former Residents Visit City

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Fleming of Tacoma, Wash., spent last week visiting their brother, Henry A. Fleming, and cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Stout. Mr. and Mrs. Fleming resided here a number of years, moving to Tacoma, about twenty years ago. Mr. Fleming has gone to Chicago, to visit his sister, Mrs. Belle Thomas, enroute home and Mrs. Fleming, has gone to Kentucky, to visit relatives. She will return here enroute to her home.

Mrs. John Nance and Mrs. Cecil Newton have returned to Chicago, attending the funeral of her cousin, Mrs. Mattie Ross Hallson.

Mr. and Mrs. Badger Silence, Otto Choid, of Battle Creek, Mich., have returned home after a pleasant visit, the guest of Mrs. Sarah Wilson.

Miss Elizabeth Lawson of Hartford, Conn., enroute home from Nashville, Tenn., where she is a student at Fisk university, spent several days with her aunt, Mrs. Lucretia Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Harry and daughter, Martha Louise, will start on a motor trip east, Saturday, to Mr. Harry's home, in Providence, Rhode Island, where they will spend the entire summer. Mr. and Mrs. Harry will visit Miss Ducky Wood and mother, in Columbus, O. Mrs. Mayme Summers, of Cleveland, O. Mrs. Kaye B. Ewing, in Buffalo, N. Y. Mr. Raymond and George Hays, will accompany them on their way to Hartford, Conn., for the summer.

George and Raymond Hayes, returned last week from Ann Harbor, Mich., where they have been attending the university of Michigan.

The following persons attended the District meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society, which met at the M. E. church in Rushville, Ind., last week—Mrs. Herdsoath (Barnes) District Sec.; Mrs. Warfield (Scotts) Lt. Sec.; Mrs. Phillips and Miss Howard (Scotts) and Mrs. Holman (Simpson) were delegates. There were many others present who helped to make it a pleasant session. As the district is divided, every one regretted that we had to separate.

Mrs. Carrie Lee Allen of Shelbyville, Ky., has returned home after visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Curd, attending the Commencement exercises of Mrs. Curd's cousin, in Evansville this week. Enroute to Evansville, they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Nash in Princeton.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Martin and children, have moved from Fayette street, to their newly purchased home, 2526 Indianapolis Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Swanson, former residents of this city, are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Doyle, 814 W. 27th street.

Mr. and Mrs. Swanson will be here 10 days, after which they will return to their home in Ann Harbor, Michigan.

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Dr. Rufus Kuykendall and Mr. Ted Brown, have returned after a several weeks stay in French Lick.

Gen. Ida M. Kinney of 923 Paca St., was guest of National Grand Master Fields and also Major Gen. J. A. Shackelford, of St. Louis Mo., June 4-5-6. Last Staff meeting before convention in Columbus, O. Gen. Kintert reported a wonderful trip.

Mrs. J. C. Pendergrass in W. 26th street, entertained with a dinner party Sunday evening. The guests of honor were—Miss Della Johnson, of Chicago; Miss Elizabeth Lawson, of Hartford, Conn.; Mrs. Mary Harris, of Apollo, Pennsylvania. The house was beautifully decorated with flowers. Covers were laid for 7.

Mrs. Dora B. Howard of Cleveland, Ohio, was called to the city by the death of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Herman Saunders.

Wins Scholarship

Lois Claudia Sharpe, the charming young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luvias Sharpe of 2044 Boulevard Pl., graduated from Attucks High school last week with very high honors. Miss Sharpe was the youngest member of a class of 138, she having completed the four-year course in 3 years. Finishing at the age of 15 years, Miss Sharpe, also was awarded a scholarship to Indiana university. Beside being an A plus pupil at her school, she is an accomplished musician, graduating from the academic course from the Cosmopolitan School of Music and Fine Arts.

Misses Mary Guthrie and Charlotte Elliott, are visiting relatives and friends in Princeton.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Hamilton, have moved from 612 W. North street, to 2436 Faris Ave.

N. A. C. P. BALL

A large crowd is expected to attend the N. A. C. P. Ball Tuesday evening, June 19th, at Trinity hall. Much interest is aroused in the popularity contest, because of the attractive prizes that are to be offered. The first prize is a round trip ticket to Los Angeles, Cal., and two other cash prizes. The awards will be made at the close of the dance. All contestants are urged to report at this time. The branch is making an effort to raise its apportionment of the National budget. The public is urged to help. The nineteenth Annual conference will meet in Los Angeles, June 27th, to July 3.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES

Poro College Orchestra Spends Day At "Y"

We were delighted to have with us on Tuesday, the Poro college orchestra of St. Louis, Mo. Much credit is due Mrs. Marie Gardner, director of the Tea room, assisted by Mesdames Scott and Galloway, for the splendid service rendered in serving the entire orchestra dinner and breakfast. The members of the orchestra, expressed themselves as having enjoyed the delicious home cooked meals as well as the comfortable night's lodging. They appeared at Caleb Mills hall, under the auspices of several of the local churches.







# News Of The State Of Indiana

## Terre Haute, Indiana

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District Manager  
1921 Spruce Street

JEFFERSONVILLE, IND.

By John R. Robinson

L. D. Parrish, Reporter

L. F. Reed and O. D. Williams

have received the contract for the

new \$10,000 building of the Mon-

arch home. \* Miss Georgia Mae

Douglass who has been very ill

is improving. \* Mrs. Julia Reed of

Indianapolis, spent Thursday after-

noon with Mrs. L. F. Reed. \* Local

reporter, L. D. Parrish—Geo.

L. Robinson has improved from an

injured hip. \* Mrs. Mary J. Lillie,

who visited in Ohio for several

weeks, has returned to Cohen

Court, her home and reports a

fine trip. \* Mrs. Hancock was in-

jured at her employment. Lett

& Myers, located at 24th and Main

streets, Mrs. Elizabeth Hayes is improv-

ing. \* Mrs. Beatty is not improv-

ing. \* Mrs. Novella Dunning left

for Cleveland, O. Sunday morning.

We are all hoping her a wonderful

and successful vacation. \* The

principal Forum speaker was J. W.

Arvey, who spoke on our pastor

and president, C. Clipper, made a

glorious talk on the work of the

Forum. \* The program was closed

by the Pastor with many help-

ful remarks. \* The Missionary cir-

cle will send a delegate to Terre

Haute for the Missionary con-

vention which convenes Wednes-

day of this week. \* The Smiley

Brothers will sing at Bethel, June

24th. \* Mr. and Mrs. Edgar R. Mad-

dox, Miss Blanche Maddox and

Mr. Lawrence of Seymour, spent

last Sunday with Prof. and Mrs.

J. C. Oglesby. \* Mrs. Maddie Allen

left for her home in Logansport.

\* J. W. Johnson of 8th and Miss

Arvey, who fell at his home last

Thursday is improving. \* Wm. Lee

of Seymour is visiting his aunt,

Miss Jessie D. Lee on Broadway.

\* The Chrysanthemum Embroidery

club held regular meeting Thurs-

day evening with Mrs. Robert

Jones, 623 1/2 Ave. \* Indiana Ave.

Baptist church, Rev. H. H. Ross,

pastor, preached a most wonderful

sermon Sunday and all services

were well attended. \* The pastor

was at his best Sunday evening

and the Lord's Supper was taken

and quite a spiritual feast was en-

joyed by all. We were glad to have

our friends with us, Rev. Thomp-

son and family of Memphis; Bro.

and Sis. Momen, New Albany.

Visitors are always welcome. \* The

Sunday school is progressing

nice, although we regret our

superintendent, Bro. O'Neal, is

ill. We wish him a speedy recov-

ery. \* The S. S. held annual pic-

nic Tuesday at Rev. and Mrs. Rose

place. Rev. Ross came in with his

truck and took the members out

and returned with them. \* The Cap-

lans are working very hard to

raise \$300 June 24th. We are ask-

ing each member to do his bit in

this rally. The "Doll Contest" will

close Friday night, June 22 at

the church. The little girls have

## ANDERSON, IND.

The services at all churches

were well attended Sunday. \* The

Second Baptist church had an over-

flowing meeting Sunday at 3:30

p. m. The chorus of the different

churches furnished the music. \* Mrs.

Mrs. Campbell has returned home

after a week's stay with her moth-

er and the burial of her father,

Mr. Kendrick of Indianapolis. \* Next

Sunday will be quarterly

meeting at the M. E. church. \* Mrs.

Mrs. Ethel Wray spent Sunday after-

noon in Muncie with her sister.

\* We regret the death of the

brother of Mrs. Mattie Mims.

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## FRANKLIN, IND.

By Mary Kathryn Perkins

Rev. Mitchell, pastor of Bethel

A. M. E. church, preached wonder-

ful sermons at the services Sun-

day. \* A quintet composed of Mrs.

Francis Tanner, Mrs. Elizabeth

Burris, Miss Alma Burris, Royal

Clark and A. J. Richey sang at the

Union township Thursday evening.

\* R. M. Clark drew some very in-

teresting pictures. The program

was as follows: vocal solo, Mrs.

John Burris, accompanied by Mrs.

Francis Tanner; instrumental solo,

Miss Alma Burris; quartet, Mrs.

Burris, Mrs. Tanner, Mr. Richey

and Mr. Clark. \* Miss Burris was

at the piano. The program con-

cluded by cartoon pictures by R.

M. Clark. \* Mrs. James Allen spent

the week end in Indianapolis, the

guest of her husband. \* Mrs. E.

Smith of Columbus was Sun-

day guest of her mother, Mrs.

James Allen. \* Mrs. Lucy Hunt

entertained the Ideal Embroidery

club at her home Tuesday. The

out of town guests were Mrs. Flos-

sie Bills and daughter, Mildred, from

Oklahoma, Okla. \* Mrs. Inez Dick-

erson and Mr. Clifford Censors were

in Indianapolis, Sunday. \* Mrs.

Emma Pryor was called to Indi-

anapolis Friday on account of illness

of her daughter, Mrs. Millie Twi-

ns. \* Mr. J. Allen and Wm. Wm.

Harris of Indianapolis, were the

guests of Mrs. James Allen and

Mrs. Eliza Pruitt, Thursday. \* Mrs.

Miss Estella Hayes of Kentucky,

has come to make an indefinite

stay with her aunt and uncle, Mr.

and Mrs. Grundy Hayes.

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## PLAINFIELD, IND.

Mrs. Clarissa Malone spent

Sunday in Bridgeport. \* Mr. and

Mrs. Jenkins Bryant spent Sunday

with Wm. Bryant and family. \* Mrs.

Cora Kellar spent Monday

with her sister, Mrs. C. P. Swann,

before leaving for Cumberland,

Md. \* Mr. and Mrs. Robert Julius

attended the commencement exer-

cises at Crispus Attucks H. S. and

also the doctor's banquet at Walk-

er casino, as guests of Mary E.

Hiatt Smith. \* Mr. and Mrs. Mar-

tin Dean, Mr. and Mrs. Bailey and

Mrs. Bailey's mother from New

Castle, were the Sunday guests of

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Julius. \* Wal-

lie Casey and Cleo Beck of Marion,

were Sunday guests of the Misses

Julius. \* We are glad to know Mrs.

Ed Case will be out. \* The

week end guests of Mr. and Mrs.

Ed Carbin were Mrs. Sadie Pink-

ton, Mr. Jones and Mr. and Mrs.

Carl Epps. \* Mrs. Laura Cloud and

Mrs. Sylvia were shoppers at In-

dianapolis last week. \* Mr. and

Mrs. Lemuel Swann, Mrs. Sophia

Bailey and Elijah Stewart spent

Sunday at Fairview.

## MADISON, IND.

By Granville Harris

Miss Elizabeth Boisen returned

home after spending several

months at Detroit. \* Rufus Carter

returned to Milton, O. Monday,

after visiting Miss Jane Amos and

attending the alumni banquet.

\* William Edwards of Terre Haute

returned Tuesday after visiting

Miss Corinna O'Banion and at-

tending the banquet Friday night.

\* Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Roberts

and Sis. Eva of Cincinnati, were

Sunday guests of Mrs. Lusia Al-

ums of Broadway. \* Mrs. Mary

Bray left for her mother's home

in Louisville, after spending the

week with Mr. and Mrs. George

Guess and daughter, Martha; Miss

Henrietta Neal and Roger Shelton

motored to Indianapolis Sunday

and visited friends. \* Mrs. Ollie

Hicks is confined at her home on

Fifth St., being very ill at this

writing. \* The Alumni banquet was

held Friday night at (white) Odd-

fellow's hall. The program and

supper had been well prepared.

\* Music was furnished by Jorden's

Louisville and was enjoyed by a

large attendance from several dif-

ferent cities. \* Mrs. Levi Colbert

of North Vernon, was the week

end guest of Mrs. Ollie Hicks. \* Har-

rison Brown had the misfor-

tune to fall in the man hole at the

cotton mill, injuring his right hand.

\* Mr. Carl Tyree and daughter,

and Mr. Joe Christmas, motored

to Louisville Monday, where they

will spend the week. \* Mrs. Smith

and son and William Wilson of

Louisville, were the week end

guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ty-

ree and returned home Monday.

\* Miss George Beatty, school

teacher of North Carolina, is

here with her parents, Mr. and

Mrs. George Beatty for the sum-

mer. \* Mrs. Birdie French is able

to be out again. \* Louis O'Banion

and Andrew Gray and William Ed-

wards motored to Terre Haute

Tuesday. \* Mr. O'Banion and

Gray returned Wednesday night,

bringing Miss Anna O'Banion and

Miss Mildred Harris home after

the closing of school. \* Children's

day was observed at the M. E.

church, Sunday. The Mason's held

their annual sermon Sunday night

at the M. E. church. \* Miss J.

Acos entertained at her home in

honor of Rufus Carter. \* Mr. and

Mrs. L. E. Shelton, Miss Corinna O'

Banion, and Mr. Edwards spent

Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Geo.

Shelton at Milton, Ky.

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## NORTH VERNON, IND.

By Velma M. Dixon

The Columbus baseball boys de-

feated the North Vernon boys 11

to 8. A large crowd from Colum-

bias attended. \* Mr. and Mrs. Wm.

Sanders of Grammar were guests

of Mr. and Mrs. Pount Dixon Sun-

day. \* Misses Minnie and Bertha

Pick of Columbus, were visiting

their father and sister, Sunday.

\* J. Easton of Indianapolis, is visit-

ing relatives. \* Relatives and

friends were sorry to hear of the

death of Wilbur Green of Chic-

ago, formerly of this city. \* John

Browning of Seymour, was a visit-

or Sunday. H. Dixon visited in

Seymour Sunday. A large crowd

attended the dance at Madison,

Friday night. \* Miss Isabelle Bold-

son, who is probably with her

mother-in-law, Mrs. Fannie

Green. She was attending the Na-

tional S. S. congress in Louisville,

this week.

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## CRAWFORDSVILLE, IND.

Mrs. Frank Taylor and grand-

son Robert



## The Blue Grass State

BEAVER DAM, KY.

By J. W. White

The Ministers' Association was held on Wednesday evening, June 13 to arrange for a Chautauqua to be held in July. Mr. J. D. Chinn, promoter, Sunday school of Bars chapel celebrated Children's day, rendering a fine program. \* Mrs. Viola Titchner and Miss Bessie Taylor conducted; Master Harry Edison at the organ. \* The W. Home and Foreign Missionary society met at the church Friday. Mrs. Riddle Thompson, pres.; Mr. and Mrs. Sophronia Woodward motored to Printas, Sunday to an annual dinner given at residence of Mrs. Jane Shultz. \* Mrs. Sadie Rogers is visiting her parents at Hartford, the past week. Mr. Roy Edison and wife motored to Hartford, Saturday to the picnic and reported a good time.

LOGANTOWN, KY.

By Wilson Owens

Logantown Ky. Sunday school opened at usual hour, well attended. Rev. W. L. Logan preached Sunday evening services to large attendance. Several persons motored to Lancaster, Ky., Sunday to attend the rally of Rev. Reed. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jurmy and Mrs. James Carter were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Carter Sunday. Also Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bassett. \* Miss Gracie Bassett of Indianapolis, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roberts. Miss Gracie Bassett was the dinner guest Sunday of her grand mother, Mrs. Worthy Harris. Willie Janikins and Miss Lucinda Craig were united in marriage, on June 4, 1928 by Rev. I. H. Smith.

HARTFORD, KY.

There was a big picnic given June 9th for the benefit of the M. E. church which was a success. \* Rev. Asher delivered a wonderful sermon Sunday morning to a crowded house. \* At 2:30 there was a Children's day program rendered by S. S. superintendent. \* At 6:30 the Epworth league with the president, Mrs. Fannie Hines, rendered a short program and after this the topic was opened by Mrs. Short, subject, "How Can I Keep On Growing?" Peter 1 to 6 verse. Rev. Asher then rendered a wonderful sermon. \* The male chorus furnished splendid music for the service, Sunday night. \* There was a Children's day program at Alpha Baptist church at 3:30 o'clock with Mrs. Nola Parks, supt. \* Mrs. L. Sullenger of Westpoint, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Dela Roberts. \* Mr. Asphy and Mr.

Haines of Sacramento, Ky., were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Short. \* Rev. L. A. Asher and Mr. Short, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hines, motored to Horton, Sunday to see Jake Acton, who is very ill. \* Mr. and Mrs. Jim Allison are improving. \* John Sutton is on the sick list.

SHELBYVILLE, KY.

By Mrs. Mary H. McClure

Captain Jackson of Cincinnati, O., was the guest of Miss Nettie Hawkins last week. \* Mrs. Carrie Lee Allen has returned home from Indianapolis, where she has been visiting her mother. \* Mrs. Estelle Alphonse is ill at her home but much improved. \* Mrs. Bell Watson, Mrs. Robert Dowsky, Mrs. Mamie Butler, Will Smock, Mrs. Sarah Hinkle, are still on the sick list. Anna Francis Fawbush is ill at her home with pneumonia but is much improved. \* John Alford Ellis wishes to thank all persons who gave him such beautiful presents upon the night of his graduation from the Shelbyville graded high school, May 25th. John Brown of Waddy, Ky., and John A. Ellis attended the dance at Georgetown, Friday night. \* Andrew Bullitt of Detroit, Mich., who has been away for two years, is home visiting his mother and brother, Ernest Bullitt. \* Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Beard and grandson, spent Sunday in Louisville with her mother, Mrs. Stallard. \* Walter Purdy, Mrs. Clark, Martha Watts and Mary H. McClure, motored to Louisville, Sunday afternoon on a pleasure trip. Edd Allen has been sick several weeks, but is reported much better. \* Rev. Porter of Decatur, Ill., delivered a wonderful sermon Sunday afternoon at Clay St. Baptist

church, which was enjoyed by a large audience. Mrs. Mary Willie Rucker is ill at her home in Union St. \* Mrs. Hallie B. Henderson of Franklin; Miss Ethel White of Pleasantville and Miss Beulla Cowell of Somerset, were week end guests of Mrs. Lucy Perkins and daughters. They attended the Clinton high school commencement of Frankfort, Ky. \* Mrs. Fannie Thompson, G. R. W. M. of the Eastern Star lodge of Louisville, was here on business and was the guest of Mrs. Lucy Perkins. \* Mrs. James Bruce of Louisville, was the guest of Mrs. Perkins, Sunday. \* Mr. and Mrs. R. Smith of Louisville, were the guests of Mrs. Patterson and Mrs. Perkins, Sunday. \* Clifford Jones and John T. Thomas of Frankfort, were the guests of John T. Redden, Sunday.

SHELBYVILLE, IND.

Home coming and rally day was observed at the Second Baptist church Sunday with three interesting services. In the morning and afternoon services delegations headed by Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Knox and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Green, from Marion, New Albany, and Madison, were present and took an active part. The Galatian quartet of New Albany made a decided contribution to the service. \* The congregation was led in their praise for these young men who are destined to become great in the musical world. They are: Messrs. Chas. Kinchlow, Willard Patterson, Henry Tyler and Clarence Mills. \* Every number rendered brought forth loud applause. They will be long remembered in this community. \* Another feature of importance was the afternoon services which were in charge of Eugene Hummons Williams of Indianapolis, was guest of Miss Ruth Hughes Thursday. \* Progressive club had its closing meeting Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Donnetta Hughes; 1045 N. Kennedy street. \* After a short business session the following program was rendered, "Home Beautiful," by Mrs. Sudie Walters; "Courtesy In The Home," by Mrs. Georgia Waldon; "Youth In The Home," Mrs. Cora Ramsey; duet, "Home Sweet Home," by Mrs. Ora Winburn and Mrs. Dora Gaskin. \* Mrs. Emma Hathaway was the guest for the afternoon. \* The hostess served a two course luncheon, assisted by her daughter, Miss Ruth Hughes. \* Mrs. Emma Hathaway and Flavia Roberts have returned home from Tuskegee, Ala., where they spent the winter with their brother and son, Prof. Ezra Roberts. \* East end culture club was delightfully entertained by Mrs. Pansy Kennedy Tuesday evening. The club is meeting this week with Mrs. Sallie Davidson. \* Paul I. Perkins, the 15-year-old evangelist, is conducting a series of meetings at Second Baptist church with much success.

WILMOT, ARK.

Mr. James Walker, an old citizen of Wilmot, died June 8th. Mr. Walker, some time ago, suffered with a malady that almost cost him his life, but he recovered. His wife, Mrs. Eliza, is an object of pity. Children's day was observed at C. M. E. church, June 8th. A banquet held in honor of the various students was quite informative and cultured. Welcome on behalf of First Baptist church by Miss Aree Thomas. Welcome on behalf of citizens by Hon. J. B. Gabe. Remarks, Rev. Faddis, P. E. of John Wesley A. M. E. Zion church. Greetings by the returned student. \* Refreshments served by the S. S. which consisted of cream, cake, peanuts, etc. \* Mr. J. Walker's burial was held at Smith cemetery. He leaves to mourn their loss, a wife, two sons, two daughters.

KOKOMO, IND.

By J. C. Coeiman

Mrs. Lois Smith spent Tuesday in Indianapolis on business. Mr. and Mrs. James Ford were visitors in Indianapolis Wednesday. \* The Mother's Industrial club met with Mrs. Lora Morgan in N. Bell street, Thursday afternoon. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. Della Warfield; vice president, Mrs. John Brown; treasurer, Mrs. Avis Weaver; chairman of floral committee, Mrs. Esther Tompkins. \* The club will have its closing meeting at the home of Mrs. John Brown. \* The hostess served a dainty repast and a pleasant social hour was spent. Eugene Hummons Williams of Indianapolis, was guest of Miss Ruth Hughes Thursday. \* Progressive club had its closing meeting Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Donnetta Hughes; 1045 N. Kennedy street. \* After a short business session the following program was rendered, "Home Beautiful," by Mrs. Sudie Walters; "Courtesy In The Home," by Mrs. Georgia Waldon; "Youth In The Home," Mrs. Cora Ramsey; duet, "Home Sweet Home," by Mrs. Ora Winburn and Mrs. Dora Gaskin. \* Mrs. Emma Hathaway was the guest for the afternoon. \* The hostess served a two course luncheon, assisted by her daughter, Miss Ruth Hughes. \* Mrs. Emma Hathaway and Flavia Roberts have returned home from Tuskegee, Ala., where they spent the winter with their brother and son, Prof. Ezra Roberts. \* East end culture club was delightfully entertained by Mrs. Pansy Kennedy Tuesday evening. The club is meeting this week with Mrs. Sallie Davidson. \* Paul I. Perkins, the 15-year-old evangelist, is conducting a series of meetings at Second Baptist church with much success.

WABASH, IND.

By Frances Logan

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Owens and Mrs. William Walker of New Castle, were the guests of Mrs. Alonzo Jefferson, Sunday. \* Charles Swanagan and Misses Kathryn Olive and Ruth Jefferson, Gladys Wood, Rownette Jordan and Nile Alexander, spent Sunday in Marion. \* Rev. Strickland was the dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Jefferson Sunday. \* Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ferguson and Mrs. Richard Kuykendall were guests of friends and relatives in Greendale, May 30th. Mrs. A. W. Vaughn and daughter, Peggy Ann, will spend the week visiting relatives in New Castle and Mr. Vaughn will spend the week end there and accompany them home. \* Mrs. Bettie D. Wilkes, most worthy grand matron of Indianapolis and Alphonso H. Kimbrough, most worthy grand patron and his mother, Mrs. Kimbrough, of New Castle, visited Ophelia Chapter No. 27 O. E. S. Wednesday night. \* T. Vaughn of Alexander, was guest of Miss Josephine Jordan Sunday. \* Rev. L. Strickland and Miss Josephine Jordan, S. S. delegates, will leave Wednesday morning for Detroit to attend the district conference. \* Mr. Elijah Harris was guest of friends in Marion, Sunday. \* The Miscellaneous club will give a concert Wednesday night. \* Mr. and Mrs. G. Washington, Chicago, are guests of Mrs. Mary Harris. Mrs. Mary Harris has moved to her new home two doors east of where she did live. \* Rounett Jordan visited friends in Chicago, Sunday.

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all of the churches Sunday. Children's day. The occasion was observed at Babel church at 8 p. m. Quarterly meeting at Zion church at 3 p. m. Dr. Cherry was present and introduced the Rev. J. L. Tolbert, who preached a wonderful sermon. There were several ministers present. Dr. Cherry, P. E., administered the communion. The K. of P. sermon was at Howard chapel at 3 p. m. Two truck loads of people went to Shelbyville and a large crowd went to Louisville. \* Rev. Kelly was in Louisville and attended the commencement of Simmons university and heard G. Sampson, of Kentucky, speak. The quartet of Galatia Baptist church went to Shelbyville, Ind., and sang at Rev. Y. C. Terrell's church. They stirred up the people for they shouted all over the church. Shelbyville people will long remember this quartet from New Albany. \* Well, here comes the boy with the Recorder. Please have the 5 cts. ready for the boy. Recorder sells for only 5 cents per copy.

PERU, INDIANA

By Mary L. Mayberry

Phone 2378-W

Mrs. Sam Kelley entertained the Stitch and Chatter club last Thursday afternoon at her home in S. Brownell St. \* J. Webb, Detroit, is spending his vacation in Peru, with his family. \* Mrs. Mary Kelly was a visitor in Wabash recently. \* Miss Albertena Parker and Mr. William Stratton were quietly married Wednesday morning. \* C. Mayberry was a visitor in Indianapolis Monday. \* Lois Moss is able to be out after a very painful accident, Wednesday. \* The A. U. K. & D. of A. will give a social at the home of Miss Hattie Crockett in E. Third street, Wednesday evening. \* Dr. Johnson and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Burdette, E. Chicago, visited Mrs. F. Moss after attending the graduation of Martha, their daughter, of Madam Blaker's university. \* Paul Moss of South Bend visited his parents for a few hours this week. \* Jerry Moody and Chas. Moss were visitors in Indianapolis, Sunday. \* M. Payton, an old resident of Peru, who has been very ill, is improving nicely. \* Miss Dunlop, S. Thomas, Miss Ora Moss, Bert Jones and Mrs. Chas. Moss, visited Mrs. Johny Parker who has been ill for some time. \* Ben Rhodes will spend the week end with his wife in Kalamazoo, Mich. \* Fred Dallis of Paris, Ill., has arrived in Peru and will take a position with Mr. G. W. Blanks.

CONNERSVILLE, IND.

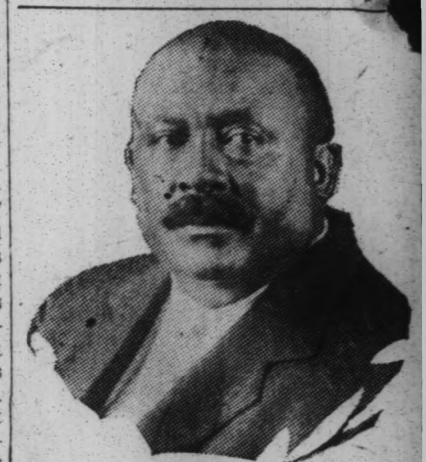
By Joseph Craig

Mrs. Creed Harris, Virginia ave., entertained with a pretty June party Thursday afternoon, complimenting her mother, Mrs. Samuel Price of Rogersville, Tenn. Roses and peonies formed the decoration throughout the house. Games and contests afforded an interesting program. Mrs. Wm.

Posey, Mrs. Nelson Harris and Mrs. Daniel Britter received the favors. \* Mr. and Mrs. Robert White of Springfield, O., spent the week end guest of relatives. \* Isaac Covington, of Indianapolis, Ind., spent Monday here on business. \* Mrs. Kirtley of Shelbyville, Ky., is here for residence. \* Mrs. Amanda Douglass of O. avenue was hostess for a noon dinner Sunday in honor of Mrs. Samuel Price of Rogersville, Tenn. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. C. Harris and son and the honor ed guest and later in the afternoon they motored to Indianapolis and visited friends. \* Miss May Ella Bean, Ray and Dempsey Bean of Indianapolis, spent Sunday in Indianapolis. \* Friends from Rushville, Lawrenceburg, and Richmond, attended the basket meeting. \* Mrs. Leslie Coleman and Mrs. Edna Burton have returned to the home in Springfield, O.

SEYMOUR, IND.

Mrs. Carrie D. Patton preached a wonderful sermon at A. M. E. church, Sunday night. \* Mr. and Mrs. Perry Coleman went to North Vernon Thursday night. \* Miss Lucille Edmonds and friends spent a pleasant visit with her parents, Sunday afternoon. \* Several young gentlemen of Columbus spent Sunday afternoon here. \* Benj. Goode and Mary Frances Farrel spent Sunday here with friends. \* Miss Wilma Laurence has returned home from Simmons university. \* Claude Mitchell and Gerald Browning motored to Louisville, Sunday.



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